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### (COAST RECORD.)

#### WILL MANDAMUS BUDD.

CANDIDATE LYNCH APPLIES TO THE SUPREME COURT.

He Wants the Office of Lieutenant-Governor Included in the Call for the Election—Young Berkeley Attorney Missing.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—John C. Lynch, the Republican nominee for Lieutenant-Governor, asks the Supreme Court to issue a writ of mandate directed to James H. Budd, Governor of California, commanding him to include the office of Lieutenant-Governor in his forthcoming election proclamation.

Justice J. J. de Haven filed the papers in the case with the Supreme Court today. The members of the court were in consultation at the time, and sent for the papers at once. It is expected that an early day will be set for the hearing.

WHERE IS HARKER?

A Young Berkeley Attorney Disappears While Insane.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Charles G. Harker, a young attorney residing in Berkeley, disappeared last Friday, and it was feared that he has committed suicide while temporarily insane.

Harker is 26 years old, weighs 135 pounds, dark brown hair, blue eyes, noticeably round-shouldered. He wore blue coat and gray trousers and a black Fedora hat. Harker had been ill for two weeks and was despondent over the imagined loss of the value of his father's estate. A reward has been offered for news of him.

Brown Leaves for Chicago.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Rev. C. O. Brown departed for Chicago tonight with his family, and will probably not return to the scene of his troubles. He made make Dubuque, Iowa, his old home, his headquarters in the future.

Railway Property Sold.

PORTLAND (Or.) July 9.—The Oregon Railway and Navigation Company's property was sold at Fairview today under the order of the court. The reorganization committee, represented by C. S. Fairchild, bid the property in for \$9,437,250.

Identified the Deeds.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—In the Fair will case this afternoon, Notary Cooney took the stand and identified the two so-called Craven deeds. Mrs. Craven is still too ill to testify.

TENTS DAMAGED.

Meetings of the Christian Endeavorers somewhat crippled.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Notwithstanding the discouraging weather conditions, thousands of Christian Endeavorers were on the way to many churches set apart for the sunrise services which begin exercises each day. The topic at the sunrise services was "Prayer for the Convention." Special services lasted from 6:30 to 7:15 o'clock. A little later many delegates gathered at the big New York Avenue Presbyterian Church to participate in the Bible book study conducted by President G. S. Burroughs, D.D., of Crawfordsville, Ind.

The great meetings in the big tents originally fixed for 9:30 o'clock were unavoidably delayed owing to damage done by last night's storm. The tent of the Williston was abandoned entirely, for a day at least, and Endeavorers crowded the tents of Washington and Endeavor, each calculated to accommodate 10,000. The tent of the Williston was pitched, was in bad condition in consequence of heavy rain.

Beaten in Langer for Months.

SALISBURY (Massachusetts), July 9.—Deal's column has arrived at Englewood, near here, and found 250 Boers in a larger with sixty-four men, sixty-five women, 14 children and fifty-five rifles among them. They had been besieged and cut off from the world for months. They recently sallied forth from the larger, burned their kraals and killed a hundred insurgent natives.

Honored by Royalty.

LONDON, July 9.—Honors are being heaped upon the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts by British royalty and military. Today they were escorted to Aldershot to witness a sham fight and review the troops. There was a brilliant throng present.

## THE MORNING'S NEWS

### The Times

#### IN BRIEF.

The City—Pages 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14.

Boycott in Chinatown...Inquest on the death of R. M. Todd...Police Commissioners grant permits to hackmen...

Bennett on trial for the killing of Czarske...A barber kills himself with gas...Lively scene at a Chinese lottery den...A new site for the army...

Woman knocked down by a horse on Broadway...A poor dope fiend who stole bread tickets...The Oil Exchange war...Normal School plans...

Olivas not guilty of attempting to kill...The two men charged with the murder of White go free...Estimates for municipal expenses.

Southern California—Page 13.

No more geyser of seafish travelers allowed at Catalina...A San Bernardino prospector's sudden death on Smith Mountain...Republican nominee for Lieutenant-Governor ready to mandamus Gov. Budd...Jury secured at Riverside to try Marshall for murder...

...Riverside Assessor tabulates interesting facts...Spiritualists preparing for a camp-meeting at Redondo...Early-closing movement at Ontario...Macabee degree team in Santa Ana...Anaheim water company discusses prices...Coronado summer school...Burning alcohol injures a Pasadena man...Barnard inquest at Santa Barbara ends in the exoneration of Hopkins...Threatened water monopoly at Pomona.

Pacific Coast—Page 1.

Disappearance of a young Berkeley attorney...The alleged fair wills in Mrs. Craven's possession examined...Candidate Lynch appeals to the Supreme Court to have the Lieutenant-Governor's office included in the election proclamation...Races at Napa.

General Eastern—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 10.

The great day of the convention—Adoption of the majority report on the platform declaration for free silver after a bitter fight—Hill, Tillman and Bryan the features of the day—The Nebraska orator raises a cyclone of enthusiasm—Stampede of the delegations in his behalf—Nominating speeches at the night session—Bland, Boies, Bryan, Blackburn and Matthews are named—No ballot taken...The Christian Endeavorers have their tents broken down by a storm...Arrest of a "greengoods" swindler who used Grover's name.

By Cable—Pages 1, 4.

Boston artillerymen honored by royalty...Boers in Matabeland stay in laager over a month...Henley Regatta finished—Leander wins the Grand Challenge Cup.

At Large—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 6.

Dispatches were also received from Chicago, Buffalo, New York, Washington, London, St. Louis, Cleveland, Pittsburgh and other places.

Financial and Commercial—Page 12.

New York stocks and bonds...Chicago wheat and cattle quotations. San Francisco produce lists...Local quotations.

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—For Southern California: Fair Friday; continued high temperatures inland; light westerly winds on the coast; light northerly winds in the interior.

#### CHARLES A. DANA BOLTS.

THE NEW YORK SUN SAYS, VOTE FOR MCKINLEY.

An Editorial Repudiation of the Democratic Platform and an Exhortation to All Honest Friends of Honest Money.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)

NEW YORK, July 9.—(Special Dispatch.) The New York Sun this morning repudiates the national Democratic platform and supports William McKinley for the Presidency. It says in a leading editorial: "From now until the night of election day in November, 1896, the Presidential candidate of every Democrat who favors honest money, and who still hopes to crush the enemies of fundamental principles he was bred in, is and should be, without hesitation, evasion, or sop to preclude, William McKinley."

CONGRESS.

CONGRESS, July 7.—(Regular Correspondence.) At Post's Gulch, a neighboring camp, Joe Matthews and Jack McNeff clashed in a trivial dispute, and in the trouble which followed the interchange of words, Matthews stabbed McNeff in the left breast, the knife going to the hilt, and the gash being two inches long. McNeff cannot live. Matthews was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Bowdrie and is in jail here.

A Fourth of July celebration was given under the auspices of the Congress Gold Company, the population almost entire going down to Brill's ranch on the Hassayampa. The men were given a two days' layoff, their time and pay going on uninterrupted. This generosity is well appreciated by the employees.

WILLIAMS.

WILLIAMS, July 7.—(Regular Correspondence.) If Sharkey, the New San Francisco pugilist, is pining for someone to lick him and would make proper terms and advances with Jim Flynn of Williams, Mr. Flynn would accommodate him.

Constant Hardesty believes he has been singled out for assassination, the object being to get valuable papers that were in his possession. He even believes he can identify the would-be assassin. During his absence from home a few evenings ago, his wife saw an adjoining room entered by two men. They are supposed to have been waiting the Constable, but he was out that night till 11 o'clock. They left without killing or otherwise molesting him.

## PUT THE PARTY ON RECORD.

The Democracy Committed to Silver Without Any Mitigating Circumstances.

Hill Makes a Gallant Struggle for Sound Money, but the Yawps Had No Stomach for Logical Talk.

### BRYAN THE FIRST REAL SENSATION OF THE CONVENTION.

The Nebraska Spellbinder Winds Up the Great Assemblage in Meshes of Epigrams—A Tremendous Ovation Follows His Peroration—The Standards of the Pale Metal Worshipers Torn from Their Places and Hurried to the Side of His Delegation—Eighteen Minutes of Noise, and a New Suggestion for the Presidency Has Arisen—Hill's Amendments All Knocked Out—Tillman Withdraws His Resolution Censuring Grover—Platform of the Majority Adopted—Recess.

(BY THE LOS ANGELES TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)

CONVENTION HALL, CHICAGO, July 9.—(Special Dispatch.) After torrents of oratory, after making Chicago for the time being the "Windy City," and after using up the whole of a summer's day, the Democratic party, or the thing which so terms itself, has adopted a platform, and in the language of the gamins, "Isn't it a bute."

The day at the great Coliseum has been rich with events, gaudy with rhetoric, and on a hundred occasions brilliant with hisses. The majestic audience, even if much of it has paid scalpers' prices for tickets, has had the worth of its money.

THE PASSING OF "PITCHFORK."

We have at least seen "Pitchfork" Tillman, and we have heard him hissed

listeners. He is a flattened-out mountebank.

A RALLY FOR JONES.

Following the fire-eater from South Carolina came Senator Jones of Arkansas, who gained a splendid rally of applause for his tersely-put and patriotic little speech.

THE GREAT HILL DEMONSTRATION.

And then came the great Hill demonstration. The joy of the audience seemed to be boundless at the prospect of hearing the man who had so industriously and strenuously been called for three days. The galleries voiced their delight in cheers that rolled back and forth like ocean breakers. Delegates mounted their chairs and set up a mingled war dance and war whoop, and, although the chairmen pounded the table again and again, demanding order, the cries and shouts went on. There would come a lull like the one that comes in a windstorm, and then the staccato shrieks would commence rolling out again, and not until the New Yorker himself commanded quiet with an outstretched hand, could his voice be heard.

A GALLANT STRUGGLE.

He made a gallant struggle for his cause, the cause of sound money and national integrity. He made a strong

States are torn from their positions and swayed to and fro by excited delegates. Some one of the delegates takes the banner and bears it to a place beside the Nebraska standard. Almost instantly, from all parts of the floor, banners are advanced to that position, until finally, but thirteen are left beside the respective delegations.

BOOSTED INTO PROMINENCE.

When the banner of Illinois, in the bands of Hinrichsen, joins the rally on Nebraska, a shout goes up that makes the steady cheering continue. Bryan, in the midst of his delegation, is lifted upon the shoulders of his associates and from that coign of vantage holds an impromptu reception. The banners take a new direction. They form in line and go swinging and swaying entirely around the aisle that encircles the main floor. California has returned her banner to the delegation, but Maj. Burke of Los Angeles again takes it up and joins the grand and hilarious parade. After a period of eighteen minutes the sensation wears itself out.

A PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY.

At the moment, if a vote could be taken, Bryan would be the nomination of this convention as Garfield was because of a speech in 1880. Will he yet be? We shall see. His youth is against him, but as this is a year for the overturning of precedents by the Democracy, perhaps they will pick out a boy of 36 to make the fight of '96.

HILL BEATEN.

All Hill's amendments to the platform are knocked out. The first one after a call of the roll, the other two by viva voce. California votes 7 to 6 in favor of endorsing Cleveland's administration, with five absent. At the conclusion of the call Coleman changes from nay to aye. Lane and Reeder also change to aye, and Dwyer demands that his name be called that he may vote on the same side of the question.

THE ONE CONCESSION.

Tillman, at least, does the one reasonable and decent thing he had done thus far, and makes the only concession that has been yet made by this convention to the sound-money men. He withdraws his resolution roasting the President, which gave him a chance to exhibit himself and make a speech.

Upon a call of the roll the platform is adopted without amendment of any sort, and an adjournment is had until 8:40 o'clock. Owing to a severe attack of hoarseness, Chairman White called Congressman Richardson to preside at 11 o'clock, and the latter has conducted the business all day in a masterly way, but the house has missed "Our Steve" in the place of power. The orators will let loose early tonight. "What will the harvest be?"

L. E. MOSHER.

EX-GOV. BOIES OF IOWA.

demagogy. But he gave his measure to the world today, and as he sunk into his seat in the delegation from the fountain State of Secession, one could easily see that he realized that much more keenly than did those thousands who looked at him with some pangs of pity. Tillman lost his chance. He is but a cheap mounter, and the world knows it.

CONVICTED HIMSELF.

This morning he asserted that the free-silver question was a sectional one and was immediately reprimanded by one of his own people, Senator Jones of Arkansas. He declared that he proposed to introduce himself to the convention as he really is, and not as the "lying newspapers" have taught people to think, and then proceeded to bear out the newspapers in all they have said about him. Throughout his harangue he was hooted at, hissed, gaped, jibed and lampooned by his

and able argument, but this is not a convention to listen to strong reasoning or the force of logic, as the voting proved later.

VILAS AND RUSSELL.

Vilas of Wisconsin followed in an argumentative address, which sparkled with brilliant flashes of common sense, and he gave way to Russell of Massachusetts, who was given an ovation.

THE NEBRASKA SENSATION.

And now Bryan of Nebraska walks down the aisle. Instantly bellows break loose again, and as he is seen to ascend the stairs to the reading desk, the entire audience appears to rise to its feet and join in the cheering. As the man from the wide prairies of the West turns his face to the audience, his resemblance to Maj. McKinley is instantly remarked. He has the same clear-cut features, smooth face, firm chin, dark hair, and general poise that is so reminiscent of the Ohio statesman's as to be startling.

Bryan is one of nature's orators, and he lifts his listeners out of themselves at the very outset, for while there is little in what he says to appeal to reason, it is the sort of matter that stirs sentiment. It rather lulls the understanding than convinces it; its epigrammatic music fascinates the ear, and even those who do not agree with him or his cause are likely to be carried away by the swift current of his speech, and join the wild hurrah that makes climax for his brilliant periods.

SAMPLES OF HIS STYLE.

He defines the various types of business men and says that the farmer is as much of a business man as is the banker, who in a back room, corners the money of the world. He declares that "We are fighting in defense of our homes, our families and posterity, and in a voice that reaches the farthest corner of the gallery says: "We will petition and plead with the moneyed classes no more; we will defy them." He asserts that if protection

has slain its thousands, the gold standard has slain its tens of thousands, and declares that if the moneyed powers destroy our farms the grass will grow in the streets of every city, and closes by shouting: "You shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold!"

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## SENATOR HILL SAYS THE CONVENTION HAS TIED THE HANDS OF THE EASTERN DEMOCRATS.



### TALK ON THE OUTSIDE.

NEW YORKERS WILL NOT SWALLOW THE PLATFORM.

Discussion Among the Gold Advocates as to Further Procedure. Altgeld Denies Before Bryan Makes His Speech that Illinois Would Desert "Silver Diek."

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CHICAGO, July 9.—Delancy Nicoll said this morning: "If the New York delegation takes an active part in the convention after the silver platform is adopted, then I will leave, but if they stay and do not take an active part, then I will stay."

Ex-Gov. Flower, chairman of the New York delegation said: "New York will meet and take action as to its further part in the convention before the nominations begin."

WHERE ILLINOIS STOOD.

CHICAGO, July 9.—It was emphatically denied by Gov. Altgeld today that the Illinois delegation was changing from Bland. "It is absolutely false that this delegation is losing faith in Bland," he said. "It is stronger for him this morning than ever. It has no notion of deserting him."

Secretary Bliss of the Illinois delegation said a poll of the delegation this morning resulted: Bland, 41; Boies, 4; Stevenson, 3.

A Fight for Boies, said: "We gracefully bow to the will of the majority, and will make no effort to protest against the vote being cast for Bland."

THAT SPEECH OF BRYAN.

Had Rush to Get into Line After His Leadership.

CHICAGO, July 9.—Senator Daniels said, considering the occasion and circumstances, Bryan's speech was the greatest effort he had ever listened to. He believes Bryan will be the nominee. Virginia, he says, will probably cast six votes for him.

George Frederick Williams of Massachusetts will nominate Bryan, and his nomination is predicted on the second ballot.

Twelve votes of West Virginia will be cast for Bryan.

Bryan, after his speech, held a levee at his place on the convention floor, delegates from all parts of the country offering congratulations. Bryan, who has hitherto positively declined to permit himself to be formally placed in nomination, said after taking his seat, he would defer to the wishes of his friends. The chairman of several State delegations heretofore courted for other candidates personally assured Bryan of their support. The Georgia delegation has decided to cast twenty votes for Bryan. A hasty canvass of the Louisiana delegation showed 15 for Bryan and 1 against, but under the unit rule







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It is fifty-five years since a farmer appeared at the east front of the capitol to take the oath as President upon inauguration day. The inauguration and service of Indiana's choice would be a reminder of the earlier, the ideal days of this republic, when, as tradition relates, Jefferson left his farm at Monticello, traveled on horseback to the seat of government without ceremony, took the constitutional obligation, and was inducted into office.

**HIS RECORD.** Our candidate is, and has been from this year to this hour, after the straightest and most honest manner, a Democrat. An intelligent, able, earnest and most diligent laborer in his cause. His first public service was as a member of the General Assembly, in 1886, when he represented his friends and neighbors in and near the county of his residence. In 1890 he was elected Secretary of State of the State of Indiana after a very exciting contest, and he has since that time been chosen Governor of Indiana, the office he now holds, and in which he has shown those rare qualities of wise administration, executive skill and genius, which have won him the admiration and charge of duty in such a manner as to have challenged alike the admiration of all parties and of all parties in our commonwealth.

In this friend of ours, for whom, no man can take but for our own, we solicit your support, and we wish to find the best attainments of the scholar and statesman fitly joined to the qualities of the patriot and statesman, and we wish to find the man who will stand with the wants and interests of the many upon whose suffrage the success of our cause depends.

The person whose name we shall present has never been beaten in a popular selection in his own State; our State is the State which by every sort of accident and emphasis is pushed at this juncture to the front, where the men in the gap of this great controversy abide. This State which danger haunts, which doubt has known and marked, this State we offer while we ask the man

UPON THE ISSUE.

He whose name we shall announce for your consideration comes not as a guest or sojourner to this great nation; he comes as a member and an inmate of its bosom. He has a house and home, wherein he has gained the right of domicile by life-long fealty to the cause of American Democracy. He has a home in the heart of the citizen; of the disposition of the public mind to actual settlers only; in the favor of the laws of the land; in the favor of the rights and privileges of organized labor and in the further legislation toward the betterment of the human race. He has with us and for us, through many years of heated question and debate and upon that question now so common to the tongue and long before known, and have often, both in our own State and elsewhere, been the subject of the most public and explicit de-

Our candidate believes in the immediate restoration of silver to the full franchise of the mine, that the standard silver dollar should be coined, with the weight of the metal raised to 1 as was formerly by law established, and when so coined, that shall be a legal-tender for all debts. This is not in favor of awaiting the action of European nations upon the subject, and perceives no reason for deferring or postponing the remonetization of silver to suit the convenience or agreement of other governments.

Ardently sympathizing with the Republic of Cuba, he is as strongly a tax-payer as the doctrine of Monroe. Thus the Silver Standard is advocated as merged at last into one. For the request, the single entreaty, the momentous ultimate appeal, an appeal to the people, to support the Silver Standard, to your most discrete discernment.

And I now, therefore, in pursuance of the instructions of the united Democracy of the United States, in convention and of the unanimous action of the delegates here present, do in confidence place in nomination as a candidate for the office of President of the United States the name of Claude Matthews of Indiana.

**MADE 'EM NERVOUS.**  
Senator TURPINE suffered from pale lips and a most effective speech in the Senate, his voice was inadequate in such a vast hall. Besides, he spoke from manuscript. The galleries outside the Coliseum, and these explosives added to the disturbance. To still further add to the confusion many people had been admitted without any sort of credentials. They overflowed from the galleries into the pit and crowded along the side aisles. It was estimated that fully 25,000 people were in the hall. The speaker could not be heard above the indistinguishable hum of so many voices. In vain Chairman Richardson cried for order. In vain the police and other assistants sergeants-at-arms charged the aisles. The crowds would neither budge nor listen. The name of the Indian man, the Hoosier delegation mounted their chairs and cheered. A few times here and there a flag was waved, but the demonstration was brief. The noise continued, and the chairman in vain motioned for silence. At last he moved that the convention

Another indignant delegate asked that the galleries be cleared, but when the sergeant-at-arms threatened to clear them the galleries only whooped louder. Then the sergeant-at-arms held a threat over the spectators. I announced that unless the galleries pulled out by the session tomorrow would be held behind closed doors no one would be admitted. This threat seemed to bring the thousands of ticket holders to a realization of the fact that they would not be in the convention's suffrage. A few more indignant protests from ex-Senator Martin of Kansas and others, and a final word of admonition from the speaker, Charles McNamara, silenced the crowd.

There was comparative quiet with











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**GROVER CLEVELAND AND THE NEW DEMOCRACY.**

By a vote of 568 to 354 the Chicago convention refused to endorse the administration of President Cleveland. Perhaps no administration has ever been so overwhelmingly repudiated by its party as has that of Mr. Cleveland. This fact illustrates the precariousness of political life, and the fickleness of popular favor. Grover Cleveland was for some years the idol of his party. He has been honored as few men have been honored by their political supporters. He has been placed upon a pedestal and worshipped as a being but little less than a demigod. Now, almost with the suddenness and fury of a Kansas cyclone, his party turns upon him in anger and denunciation, hissing the mention of his name in its national convention, and by a nearly two-thirds vote refusing to endorse his administration. This is indeed "the most unkind cut of all."

President Cleveland has not merited this overwhelming vote of censure. It is a gross and cruel injustice. It is, moreover, cowardly; for it is an attempt to make him the scapegoat of his party, and to unload upon him the obloquy and the disgrace which should be borne by the Democratic party in common, not by any one man. The Democratic party cannot escape the adverse judgment of the American people by so cowardly a makeshift as the sacrifice of its whilom idol. It underestimates the public understanding if it supposes that so shallow a subterfuge will pass current at 16 to 1, or at any other ratio.

It is true that President Cleveland's administration brought disaster upon the country. But Mr. Cleveland is not personally responsible for the ruin that has been wrought. He is the mere representative of the principles and theories that controlled his party, and shaped its policies four years ago. Mr. Cleveland is the instrument, not the cause, of the misfortunes that have attended his accession to power. He has, in the main, carried out in good faith the pledges of the Democratic platform, so far as he was able to do so.

In the matter of tariff revision, his party stopped far short of its ante-election declarations. But Mr. Cleveland is neither to be condemned nor commended for this failure to realize in full the free-trade programme of disaster. He would have gone to the full length demanded by the platform upon which he was elected, and he was much disgusted and chagrined because the leaders of his party in Congress did not have the courage to put the knife deeper into Republican protection, which the Democratic platform of 1892 declared to be "a fraud," a "robbery of the many for the benefit of a few," the culminating atrocity of class legislation," etc. Mr. Gorman and his political confederates in the Senate saved the Democratic party from itself and the country from the extreme disasters of free trade by forcing a modification of the more radical features of the Wilson bill. But Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Wilson and the radical free traders of the Democracy were far more consistent apostles of the Democratic faith, as voiced by the Chicago platform of 1892, than the mild protectionists of the Gorman faction. Mr. Cleveland is a truer and more loyal exemplar of Democratic principles than are those men of the new Democracy, who are traducing and insulting him at the Chicago convention.

He heartily endorsed the platform of 1892, stood upon it courageously and sought earnestly to carry out its declarations. If his course led to disaster, the platform and the party that made it were responsible, not Mr. Cleveland alone. He is entitled to the commendations of his party for his consistency and courage, not to its censure. He should be given the glad hand, not the marble hero.

One of the most serious charges against President Cleveland by the anarchistic gang now assembled at Chicago is the fact that he has authorized the issue of bonds to protect the credit of the government when it has been

threatened. The injustice of blaming Mr. Cleveland for pursuing this course is obvious to any person of discernment, whose judgment is not warped by prejudice. The issue of bonds was a necessary expedient to meet a grave crisis. The administration had no alternative but to issue bonds or to allow the nation's credit to lapse which would have brought ruin and bankruptcy to the people of the entire country. The topping of public credit would have smashed private credit from one end of this land to the other, and would have wrought ruin and disaster, compared to which the distress of 1893-94 would have been as a summer zephyr to a tornado.

Not President Cleveland but his party is responsible for the conditions which made the bond issues an imperative necessity. He is jointly but not solely blamable for these conditions. The bond issues were an effect, not a cause. They were an effect of the free-trade victory of 1892, which landed Mr. Cleveland in the White House. That victory throttled industry, impaired confidence, injured credit, reduced the revenues and created the untoward conditions which made the issue of bonds an imperative though deplorable necessity.

For these reasons it is grossly unjust and cowardly for Mr. Cleveland's political congeners to attempt to make him the scapegoat for the blunders and crimes of the entire party. The attempt will be futile, for the American people have too much sagacity and sound common sense to be so egregiously deceived. They will place the responsibility just where it belongs, upon the Democratic party as a whole and not upon Grover Cleveland. And the people will manifest their understanding of the situation, and will emphasize their disgust at the cowardly attempt to sacrifice Mr. Cleveland on the altar of Democratic incompetency, by electing William McKinley the next President of the United States.

When Richard Cobden first made his great battle for free trade he earnestly and honestly believed that before a half-century had elapsed free trade would be the governing commercial principle of the world. That was just fifty years ago, and the world is no nearer general free trade than it was on the day that the Queen affixed her signature to Mr. Cobden's corn-law bill. On the contrary, the British colonies in Australia (with the exception of New South Wales) are singularly in favor of protection against the cheap labor of the alleged "mother country," and even in England a strong reactionary sentiment against free trade is developing, day by day.

The filing of a schedule in bankruptcy, during the past week, by a Los Angeles dealer in bicycles named Axtell, brings back a memory of a well-known politician of that name from Amador county, who was the first Democratic Congressman elected from this State after the close of the civil war. Before his term was out he became satisfied he could not be re-elected from this State, and so he flopped over to the Republicans. At the close of his term President Grant appointed him Governor of New Mexico, and the Territorial papers used to speak of him as "His Axtellency."

The deliberations of the Chicago convention would read, to one familiar with the political history of our country, like one of Charley Hoyt's farce comedies, were it not for the Mephistophelian face of Altgeld and the presence on the floor of the convention of the wretched moral cowards who, in the hope of preferment, have lifted that political harpy into power. It is his presence in a convention of the party that had Andrew Jackson as its leader for ten years after he was dead, that makes the Chicago convention little less than a tragedy.

The name of the anarchist, Altgeld, is a combination of two German words signifying "old gold." But this red-headed defer of decency has no gold in his composition, unless he has been given some of the Keeley cure institute. He is not even good clean silver, but argentiferous galena of the lowest grade, like the black stuff found in the "Broken Hills" of Australia. The metallurgy of Altgeld's nature is what our Pacific miners call "roasting ore." To this method of treating Altgeld the attention of old Mr. Mephistopheles is respectfully directed by a long-suffering people.

The Democracy are trying to apologize for Mr. Cleveland by saying that he is not taking any further steps to-

ward free trade than he was when first elected. That is all well enough, but it doesn't fill the bill. What the people want is a few steps backward to the good old times we had when the McKinley tariff was in force during Harrison's administration; and when Cleveland was renting out the use of his name to a New York law firm for \$20,000 a year. By the same token we are going to have those good old times again.

It is said that a French gentleman of San Francisco recently called on Corbett, the pugilist, while he was in training and expressed his admiration of Pompadour Jim and his great muscular development. On being asked by Jeems why it was that France had never produced a great pugilist, the intelligent Crapaud at once replied, "Vhy, you see, Monsieur Corbett, zat when ze French zhentleman spick, he find it impossible to kip hees hands still." Jim was satisfied with the explanation.

We have gone a whole week without any first-class sensation, like the shooting of an octogenarian millionaire in open court by the sister of his so-called victim; or the murder of his wife and her parents by a son-in-law with weak mind and loose morals. Yet who shall say that the daily press has not had news enough to dish up to its readers without publishing an Ashley suit of the Ethiopian mail persuasion or a wholesale murder like that perpetrated by Dunham?

A few weeks ago the Falstaff of the White House wrote a letter (he has a mania for that sort of work) in which he stated that he would henceforth be content to be a private in the ranks of the Democracy. To judge from the way that an indorsement of his administration was voted down at Chicago, his only way to receive recognition as a private is to hire a substitute, as he did during the civil war, when he was drafted into the army from Erie county, New York.

According to the Examiner, some of the delegates to the National Populist Convention which meets in St. Louis on the 22d, favor Eugene V. Debs for President. It is doubtful, however, whether Mr. Debs can secure sufficient strength to give him the first place on the ticket. How would Altgeld and Debs do, as the rallying cry for the Populists? Such a ticket would undoubtedly bring out the full strength of the Anarchists.

President Cleveland, though repudiated and spat upon by the Chicago convention, will probably not be wholly insoluble. He is something of a philosopher, and will doubtless reflect that there is really more honor in a vote of censure than in a vote of indorsement from such a gang of wild-eyed, anarchistic, socialistic and Populist cranks as the flat-coinge majority of the National Democratic Convention.

The whirligig of time brings some strange changes. Four years ago Senator Hill was leading the onslaught against Cleveland, but met with overwhelming defeat. Now he is one of the leaders in the fight for the administration, but is again on the losing side "by a large majority." Mr. Hill would better change his once proud boast, "I am a Democrat," to "I am a Jonah."

A singular spectacle is that of 175,000 Spanish troops holding down the city of Havana while 40,000 half-naked Cubans have almost undisputed possession of all the rest of Cuba. It shows that Spain's chances of conquering that island are daily growing less. A President that had not been drafted—Garfield or Hayes, for instance, to say nothing of Grant—would have recognized the independence of Cuba long ago.

Old Wade Hampton sat, at the ceremony of unveiling Jeff Davis' statue at Richmond, that if the Confederate flag were still floating he would still be in the field and fighting for it. But how about that \$5000 salary that Wade is drawing from the United States government as railway commissioner—would he continue to draw that while fighting against "the old flag?"

Santa Barbara has a vegetarian restaurant that would have pleased old Sylvester Graham himself if he were there to see it. No doubt the farinaceous dishes served up there are very toothsome during this heated term, but when the November frosts approach, there is nothing like a porthouse steak with baked potatoes, washed down with a good cup of coffee.

A late New Zealand paper says that while exploring the volcanic sands on Cloudy Bay, near the base of Mt. Cook, Mr. Walker Mantell found a gigantic egg, the diameter of which was as great as that of his hat. The Maori journal above quoted should have added the words, "through which he is in the habit of talking."

David Bennett Hill said yesterday, in the Chicago convention, that "New York is the Gibraltar of the Democracy." The Elmira Senator is not far from being correct, for Gibraltar is a great rock in the Atlantic Ocean; and New York will rock the Democratic party to sleep next November, as sure as the good Lord made water to run down hill.

Senator Hill received an ovation when he spoke yesterday in the Democratic convention, and his speech was an eloquent one. But it fell on deaf ears. The jury was packed, and the verdict had been predetermined.

No one can cry "Stop thief!" so lustily as the thief himself. The Democratic party has stolen the prosperity

of the country, and is now yowling "Stop thief!" with might and main, hoping thus to divert suspicion from itself. But the people are "onto the racket," and will allow no guilty man to escape.

So far, Mr. Huntington has taken no steps toward the erection of that monument to the City Council and Mayor on his long wharf at Santa Monica. Mr. Huntington is certainly a very ungrateful man.

Tillman went up like a rocket and came down like a stick at the Chicago convention yesterday. The "dull thud" which he made on coming down was drowned in torrents of hisses.

The 16-to-1 statement have a large majority of the delegates on the floor of the Democratic convention, but the sympathies of the audience seem to be with the sound-money cause.

There be dark horses and dark horses galore. But G. Cleveland is not one of them.

As a spellbinder, Bryan of Nebraska has the lead.

Looks as though it might be Bryan of Nebraska.

**AT THE PLAYHOUSES.**

**ORPHEUM.** The announced change of programme of the vitascope at the Orpheum last evening was well received, though some of the plates which had just arrived from New York were broken in transit, and could not be presented. The view of the whirlpool rapids of Niagara Falls was a most realistic picture, showing the rushing, roaring, whirling foam-beaten waves and splashing sprays true to nature. Another view presented was that of Atlantic Ocean breakers rolling up to the shore in the vivid way peculiar to the beaches of that turbulent pond. The picture of the female equilibrist doing a difficult act was appreciated, but the sympathies of the audience went out to the two performers in the kissing scene, and the graceful woman who danced in skirts.

**ANOTHER ARMORY SITE.**

The Ponet Property Will Probably Be Leased.

The armory board of the National guard held another meeting last evening to discuss the matter of procuring a site for the new armory. Another view presented was that of some hilt in the O'Dea site, and authority was given to lease the Ponet property.

Another meeting of the board will be held tonight.

**NEY'S EXECUTION.**

Abundant Attempts to Prove that Marshal Ney Escaped to America.

"A Family Record of Ney's Execution," written by M. de Campan, is contributed to the July Century by a relative of this lady, George Clinton Genet of Greenbush, N. Y. Mr. Genet, in a preparatory note, says: "An absurd attempt has been made recently to prove in a published volume that Ney was not shot in 1815, but escaped to America, and became a schoolmaster in North Carolina, where he lately died. An alleged fac simile of his writing is given in the book, as well as one of the writings of the old French cavalryman who, it is alleged, when drunk on a certain occasion, declared himself to be the Duke of Eichingen. The writing which it is claimed is the genuine writing of the marshal seems doubtful when compared with that known to be his, and the assumed similarity between that and the writing of the old French soldier of Ney is a mere coincidence. It is absurd to suppose that Ney should have proclaimed himself to be the Duke of Eichingen, since at the time of his capture he was a prisoner of war, and no longer Duke of Eichingen. It is impossible that, as is asserted in the book referred to, Ney should have been shot at the battle of Waterloo, and yet have been seen in North Carolina, where he was shot at by musketeers charged with powder alone, and after falling and pretending to be dead, should have suffered his third son, visited the United States, and went to the house of the Hudsons, near Albany, but never heard of the alleged Duke of Eichingen. It is useless to follow these absurdities further. Ney is buried in Père la Chaise at Paris, with two of his sons and a daughter. On the spot where he was executed stands a monument erected by the French government."

**PHILLADA ON HER WHEEL.**

When I was but a lad,  
Long ago,  
This simple lore I had,  
Don't you know?  
That every maiden fair,  
Was an angel unaware;  
And I wondered when and where  
The wings would grow.

But wiser now am I,  
A good deal;  
Though I've sometimes seen them fly,  
Yet I feel  
They are something just between  
Man and angel in their mien.  
Since my Phillada I've seen  
On her wheel.

She does not show a sign  
Of a wing;  
But her figure is divine,  
And the fling  
Of her eyebrows down,  
As she flickers through the town,  
Might buy the throne and crown  
Of a king.

No halo of a saint  
Beats she  
Such as Lippo loved to paint,  
But her hair,  
As she sweeps down streams  
Through the landscape of my dreams,  
In such glory floats and gleams  
On the air.

But not all for heaven she—  
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## THE MAN AND THE CAUSE.

Pith of the American Press on McKinley's Candidacy.

The Republican Party as a Popular Educator.

No Room for Criticism—He Speaks Without Evasion—A Battle in the Open Field—How the Wilson Tariff Has Helped Europe, etc.

(Portland Oregonian.) Nothing better illustrates the informing spirit of the Republican and Democratic parties than the fact that, as the money question was made clear by discussion in the Republican ranks, sound-money sentiment advanced; while, as the discussion advances in the Democratic ranks, the free-silver movement gains momentum. The evidence is thus afforded that the Republican party today, as in 1860, contains the character and intelligence of the Northern States.

A Clear Statement.  
(Baltimore American.) Mr. McKinley's speech in reply is a clear statement of the attitude of the Republican party toward all of the leading public issues. Protection, reciprocity, finance and the maintenance of a firm American policy are discussed frankly, without the slightest evasion, and without an effort to give any one matter undue prominence over the others, except as far as its importance or its intricacy may require.

Without Evasion.  
(Boston Advertiser.) The issues of the campaign were set forth in their true order and due proportion, and from first word to last word there was not a sentence or a syllable which either misled or misledly or falsehood could construe into the appearance of evasion or timidity.

The Whole Platform.  
(Pittsburgh Dispatch.) Gov. McKinley's speech on the occasion of the formal notification of his nomination makes his stand clear before the country. He endorses and stands on the platform as a whole. He takes its principles as his fighting ground, and clearly pledges himself to their support in the campaign and in office.

Democratic Praise.  
(Philadelphia Record.) It commits him to "the existing gold standard," as his party is committed, and the honor and good faith of the nation demands. This declaration was what the country wished to hear. Mr. McKinley has made the first formal occasion to put himself at the front, where he ought to stand. We give him credit. He deserves it.

No Room for Honest Criticism.  
(Hartford Post.) While there will be a more formal acceptance and a fuller statement of Mr. McKinley's opinions about the platform on which he stands, there can no longer be any honest Democratic criticism of his money conviction. In fact, there never has been any doubt as to where Mr. McKinley stood on this great issue.

A Battle in an Open Field.  
(New York Tribune.) Four years ago the fight was against an ambush, into which a great many misguided voters had been lured by demagogues and a dishonest party press. Today their eyes are open. They see now how they were deceived, and know how dearly they have paid for their own error.

The Democratic party will stand for free silver and free trade; for a dishonest currency which will cheat the working poor and the honest farmer; for a policy which cheats him of a market for his labor. It is altogether best it should be so; that the battle be joined with a fair understanding in an open field, and that the American people have an opportunity to meet the issue squarely.

His Course is Upwards.  
(Chicago News.) There must be some mistake in the report that Mr. McKinley is descended from an ancient Scottish family. Surely Mr. McKinley could not have done other than ascend.

Mr. Platt's Agility.  
(Mexican Herald.) One can't help wondering how Gov. Morton likes Platt's gymnastic handspinning into the McKinley musical comedy. It was "so sudden like" as the widow remarked when bereaved by a railway accident.

They Can't Be Fooled.  
(Iowa State Register.) The Republicans of the Eighth Iowa District are going in for McKinley and prosperity as to a man. They cannot be deceived by Democrats, who, having made a failure of the free trade experiment, are now seeking to add a free silver failure to their free trade failure; a silver panic to their industrial panic.

He Has Their Confidence.  
(Las Vegas N. M., Optic.) The personal following of William McKinley and the profound confidence in his ability to bring back prosperity will carry the Republican party through the coming fight and crown it with victory.

It Helped Europe.  
(Boston Commercial Bulletin.) The Wilson tariff gave Europe one season of wonderful activity and enormous profits, but by smashing down American industries it has cut off the purchasing power of the American people, and checked the purchases of foreign goods, as well as domestic goods. The insensate folly of the American people in flinging away their prosperity in 1892 seems like some strange outbreak of unreason now. The lesson has been indeed bitter.

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"A Burnt Child," etc.  
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discussion of protection and free trade, the burden of which is to show that a tremendous advantage free trade would be to the United States in enabling it to compete in the markets of the world. That sort of argument will not have as much weight in this country this year as it had once. The people have tried a little approach toward free trade, and they do not like it.

William Sets the Fashion.  
(St. Louis Chronicle.) McKinley neckties are a novelty in haberdashery in the East. Tom Platt is not responsible for the fashion, but he is wearing one of the ties.

Disappoints the Mugwumps.  
(Chicago Inter Ocean.) Maj. McKinley has been outspoken upon the money question, but the mugwumps are mad because he did not mention it before protection and declare it the great issue before the people. They will continue to be disappointed. The enemy seems afraid to be hauled up before the laudatory Illinois on the protection issue, and will fight hard to have the question ignored.

Can Swallow Prosperity.  
(Iowa State Register.) There may be some who cannot "swallow" the Republican platform whole, but there are none who cannot "swallow" Maj. McKinley and the return to prosperity which he represents and will accomplish.

Not a Pivotal State.  
(Chicago Inter Ocean.) In 1892 that party was accused of its promises. In 1894 it was judged by its work. It had repealed the Republican protection laws and brought financial ruin, industrial depression, and began to wage war on the people. They will continue to be disappointed. The enemy seems afraid to be hauled up before the laudatory Illinois on the protection issue, and will fight hard to have the question ignored.

The Only Way to Do It.  
(San Jose Mercury.) What California wants is a revival of business, so that capital and labor can both be profitably employed, and to bring that about it must vote for McKinley and protection.

Utah's All Right.  
(Milwaukee Sentinel.) The encouraging news comes from Salt Lake City that Republicans generally are disposed to stand by their party. It is evident the bolters are by no means as generally supported at home as they expected to be.

The English View of It.  
(St. Louis Globe-Democrat.) The day after the Republican National Convention in London, England, the strange announcement that Mr. George had been selected for Vice-President, and that he is a "hobart of New Jersey." No doubt the London paper was as much puzzled to know what a hobart is as Thackeray was to comprehend the nature of the many biddles to whom he was introduced in Philadelphia.

"Hark, from the Tomb."  
(Topeka Daily Capital.) Sovereign, he with the iron jaw and illy-white hands that have not known labor for twenty years, says Mark Hanna is an industrial cannibal. This is the first that has been heard from Sovereign since he ordered a boycott on the national bank note.

New Mexico Stands Firm.  
(Albuquerque Weekly.) The Republican party in New Mexico is in "splendid shape" to win a most glorious victory this fall, providing no mistakes are made and the proper men are nominated. Cast aside all personal feelings and work for the good of the state. The election this year is a momentous one, and no opening for defeat should be left. Let us all unite in a grand effort to elect a man who will not only organize and meet him on his own ground.

What the Major Meant.  
(Detroit Journal.) The rich man can protect himself. He can write it in his contract how he is to be paid, and exact the condition of his bond. But the poor man has no such protection. The laborer must take what goes. The farmer will find his bushels dwindle to half bushels when he takes the proceeds for men, women and children, and men crying for cheap money because they hope to cheat some one by paying half dollars for the whole dollars which they owe. But it will not be the rich capitalists—who will suffer in the end. It will be the men who by brawn and brain carry forward the production of the world. The only dollar that is good for a poor man, a working man, a man who earns his bread by his labor, is the honest dollar—the dollar that is exactly what it proclaims itself to be, and what McKinley means by "the best money in the world."

**AMERICA'S MAGNA CHARTA.**

John Adams Tells How They Drafted the Great Declaration.

John Adams, in a letter to Timothy Pickens, gives the following account of the preparation of the Declaration of Independence:  
"The sub-committee met. Jefferson proposed to me to draft it. I said, 'I will not.' 'You should do it,' said he. 'Oh, no,' said I. 'Why?' said he. 'Reasons enough,' said I. 'What are your reasons?' said he. 'Reason first, said I, 'you are a Virginian, and a Virginian ought to appear at the head of this business. Reason second, I am an anxious (bad slip in the use of that word, Mr. Adams) suspected, unpopular. You are very much other-wise. Reason third, you can write ten times better than I can.' 'Well,' said Jefferson, 'if you are decided, I will do as well as I can.' 'Very well,' said I, 'when you have drawn it up, we will have a meeting. A meeting we accordingly had, and created the paper over. I was delighted with its high tone, and the flights of oratory with which it abounded, especially that concerning the purchase of foreign goods, as well as domestic goods. The insensate folly of the American people in flinging away their prosperity in 1892 seems like some strange outbreak of unreason now. The lesson has been indeed bitter.'

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New Form of Green Goods Game.

Arrest of the Alleged Son of John S. Bell.

Bade the Secret Service Defiance for Three Years.

Cleveland's Honesty as an Executive Was Brought into Question in Order to Force a Rupture in the West-A Political Compact.

(BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.)

NEW YORK, July 9.—(Special Dispatch.) The Herald says a new form of green-goods game has been played upon innocents in the West by Sherwood, a young man who declares he is the son of John S. Bell, formerly chief of the United States Secret Service. Young Bell, as he calls himself, is in custody in Neosho, Mo., and the secret service agents are now congratulating themselves that they have finally captured the man who, for three years, has bid them all defiance.

The swindle which young Bell is said to have perpetrated involves no less a person than Grover Cleveland, President of the United States. Cleveland's name was used by Bell in his operations. Cleveland's honesty as an executive was brought into question, and the young rascal had the effrontery to declare that Cleveland was fully apprised of what he was doing, and it was being done with his consent.

Bell's scheme was partly political. By some means, probably by careful inquiry among politicians, he ascertained the names of men in various small towns, who were warm Cleveland adherents. He is a man of ingratiating manner and excellent address. He represented to the intended victims that he was a member of the Secret Service, and he had been delegated upon the special mission of organization of the secret service, whose purpose was the election of Cleveland to the third term as President. He was in the habit of informing dyed-in-the-wool administration Democrats that Cleveland appreciated the fact that there would be great opposition to any proposition that he should be re-elected, and he took the advantage of the secret service for the purpose of organizing his friends and to place in their hands material with which to fight his battle.

Bell told his confidants that when greenbacks were made the plates were not destroyed, as was the general impression, but they were put aside in secret vaults by friends of Cleveland so the latter might have full control of the hoarded money when the proper time came. It was necessary, in order to use the money to the best advantage, to determine on men in the various counties who would do to trust to the political compact. It was for that purpose the Secret Service was to be formed of devoted Cleveland men. Bell then told his victim the latter's name was on Cleveland's list as a man who had mentioned him as being eminently a man to trust in that particular section.

Then Bell would declare it was the intention of the organizers of the society to supply each member with \$4000 of greenbacks so that they might use the money in a way which would be most advantageous to Cleveland. This money would be sent them as soon as he forwarded their names and their initiation fees of \$250 each. Bell found many victims, mainly in the West, and secured by his operations over \$50,000. He is now in prison and will stay many years, as he will be prosecuted in every State in which he has operated.

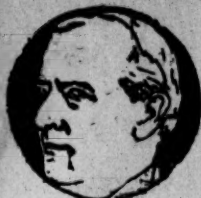
**THIS DATE IN HISTORY.**

A Daily Resume of Events for Your Scrap Book.

On July 10, the year named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.  
Saints The Seven Brothers, Rufina, Scudans.  
BIRTHS.  
1509—John Calvin.  
1606—John Ernst Grabe.  
1723—Sir William Blackstone.  
1772—General Sir John Mordaunt.  
1792—Frederick Marryat, novelist.  
DEATHS.  
138—Hadrian, Emperor of Rome.  
805—Pope Benedict IV.  
1024—Pope Benedict VIII.  
1539—Henry II of France.  
1806—Louis XVIII.  
1836—Bishop Tell.  
1794—David Rittenhouse.  
1872—Fred E. Smith, painter





## The Weather.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles.  
July 9.—At 5 a.m., the barometer registered 29.9; at 5 p.m., 29.8. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 84 deg. and 74 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 95 per cent.; 5 p.m., 66 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity, 2 miles; 6 p.m., west, velocity, 6 miles. Character of weather, 5 a.m., cloudy; 5 p.m., clear. Maximum temperature, 82 deg.; minimum temperature, 63 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

### ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Some people never will be satisfied. In Williams, Ariz., there is a female hula-hula dancer, who is not lavish in the use of clothing. And now they want a Dr. Parkhurst.

A Prescott, Ariz., paper, referring to two criminals in jail under sentence of death, speaks of them as "in suspense." Are we to understand that they have been all these months in the process of hanging? If so, no wonder the grand jury complains.

An ideal jurymen has been found in Riverside. He was being examined for admission to a jury to sit on a murder case. An attorney asked him if he knew the "deceased," when he pointed to the prisoner and asked, "Is that him?" The fact was explained to him that the "deceased" was not present, but was quite dead.

Eleven new citizens were admitted in the Superior Court of this county yesterday. In almost every instance, the men went immediately to the registration department and qualified as voters. Are our native born citizens taking as deep an interest in the approaching election? In one short month from today the Great Register will be closed, and those whose names do not appear upon it will not be permitted to vote. This is an important matter. Do not be disfranchised by your own neglect.

"Sir" John F. Francis, who earned his knighthood for the success he made of the late fiesta, writes to say that the correspondent who found fault with Strawberry Valley and the means of reaching that sylvan retreat is a rank exaggerator as to the cost of making the trip and is lacking in appreciation of the primitive accommodations afforded visitors. Mr. Francis maintains the truth of the assertions made in a letter from Strawberry Valley, printed in The Times recently, giving high praise to a popular resort.

Capt. Higgins, who has recently returned to San Diego from Cook's Inlet, Alaska, says that this season will probably determine the value of the gold boom in that section. Along Resurrection Creek it is estimated that there are placer claims enough to keep thousands of men busy and yield \$10 to \$20 daily per man, for many months. The disadvantage of mining in Alaska is the short season of from June to October. Capt. Higgins prefers Southern California as a mining section, where property can be worked all the year round.

In Pomona they insist on having schoolteachers that are all wool and a yard wide. That is to say, the man who would aspire to teach the young Pomona idea how to shoot, must, in addition to other requisites, be a total abstainer, not from liquor, but cigars and such like. The head of the school department in Pomona was recently examined with reference to a number of charges made against him, and found guilty of but one—that of using tobacco. This was deemed a point against him, though, happily, not of such importance as to warrant his dismissal.

The oil producers may yet regret their action looking to a dissolution of the Oil Exchange. The present management did heroic work in organizing a mob of producers and establishing profitable prices from a former basis of 25 or 30 cents per barrel. The rise in price has not resulted so much from a falling off in the product as from the methods adopted to export the surplus and broaden the field of consumption. No one can foretell the results of a disunion of interests; no person of ordinary intelligence will dispute that an effort to bear the market will be much easier of accomplishment than when the members stood firm and gave each other moral and financial aid to withstand the outer combinations. The old troubles resulted from want of cooperation; there were almost as many prices for oil as there were producers. The price was gauged by the degree of the producer's financial distress. The oil field is better able to take care of itself now than it was a few months ago, owing to the past bitter experiences of producers, but wisdom should dictate the necessity for maintaining some sort of organization for individual protection.

### STOLE BREAD TICKETS.

Serious Charge Against an Alleged Morphine Fiend.

A pale, emaciated man, whose every movement indicated too plainly that he was a morphine fiend, was locked in the City Jail last night on a charge of burglary.

His name is Peter Dominguez, and he is alleged to have stolen a number of bread tickets from the Parisian Bakery at Castelar and High street, of which Eugene Pierret is the proprietor, about two weeks ago.

Officer Talamantes saw him on Upper Main street last night attempting to sell the stolen tickets. He was sent to police headquarters and from his pockets was taken a vial of liquid morphine and a "hypos gun" and a number of bread tickets.

### Disturbed the Peace.

Rosenda Suniga went down in the "Terminator" region last night and created a disturbance by hollering in the windows of the crib. Officer Lennon sent him to police headquarters for disturbing the peace.

## SHOOTING OF TODD.

THE CORONER'S JURY NOT CERTAIN HOW IT HAPPENED.

The Verdict Throws a Veil of Mystery Over the Tragedy—The Detectives Will Make Some Investigations—Only One Witness on the Scene.

The verdict of the coroner's jury yesterday throws a cloud of mystery over the sudden and as yet unexplained death of Robert M. Todd. As told in The Times yesterday Mr. Todd was shot by a revolver while he and Thomas Leatherdale were viewing some land belonging to the former, west of the city.

All the known details of the tragedy were published yesterday morning, and the coroner's inquest developed so little that was new that the verdict rendered was in this terse and vague sentence:

"We find that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound." That circumstance was self-evident; but the fact that the jury could not indicate in what way Mr. Todd received the gunshot wound shows a leaning to a belief in either a suicide or murder theory.

Thomas Leatherdale, the sole companion of Mr. Todd and the only eyewitness of the tragedy, testified before the coroner's jury that Todd borrowed a knife of him to use in extracting a cartridge which had been wedged into his revolver and that while the deceased was engaged in trying to remove the cartridge the revolver was discharged.

It was shown that the bullet entered the body on the right side, about five inches below the nipple, and ranged downward, the exact course not having been determined by autopsy. If Mr. Todd killed himself by accident he must have held the revolver with the muzzle toward him while trying to extract a cartridge with the knife he had borrowed of Leatherdale.

Woolsey Kronkrite, the only other witness examined, said that he was driving on the road near the scene; that when he first saw the men they were standing about sixty feet apart, apparently engaged in measuring land. He was then about 1200 feet from the scene. Five minutes later he was hailed by Leatherdale, who told him of the shooting. Witness did not hear the shot, and his testimony was not conclusive.

The police detectives will undertake to fashion what is thus left a mystery. George G. Green, the foreman of the jury, was in partnership with Mr. Todd in the real estate business for several months. He said yesterday that Mr. Todd was interested in mining and owned a valuable gold mine in the Panamint range, in Inyo county. This mine was bonded only a few days ago for \$80,000. He owned also a subdivision at Ninth street and Ventura avenue. Mr. Green spoke in terms of high praise of his former partner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poehler of St. Paul, who have been receiving much attention during their stay here, were given a delightful loto party last evening by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fleming, at their pretty home on West Thirtieth street. The guests were:

Messdames—  
Ezra Stimson. Robert Widney.  
John T. Jones. Al Barber.  
M. L. McCormack.  
Messrs.—  
McCormack. Poehler.  
Ezra Stimson. Al Barker.  
John T. Jones. Charles Dick.  
R. J. Widney.

A LUNCHEON.  
A charming luncheon was given yesterday by Mrs. W. B. Mathews, to meet Mrs. Forgy. The decorations were of pink roses, prettily arranged. Besides the guests of honor there were present Messrs. Albert Crutcher, S. S. Salsbury, Willoughby Rodman and Miss Olive Belle Clark.

AN INFORMAL EVENING.  
The Misses Arnold entertained pleasantly at their home on South Hope street last evening in honor of their brother, David Arnold, who is at home from Stanford for the vacation. Music and dancing till the evening, and ice cream and cakes were served. The rooms were prettily decorated with sweet peas and roses. Among the guests were:

Messdames—  
Van Cleve. Walker.  
Reed. Griswold.  
Williams. Mendenhall.  
Laura Whitlock. Whittier.  
Boyd. Balsey.  
Cook. D. Reed.  
Curran.  
Messrs.—  
Robinson. Walker.  
Stewart. Porter.  
Shaw. Martin.  
Garrett. Bradley.  
Van Cleve. Thomas.  
Whittier. Arnold.

A DINNER.  
The dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Johnson Tuesday evening at their elegant new home on Orange Heights was a much-enjoyed affair. The table was prettily with sweet peas, arranged in a large centerpiece and in clusters at each cover. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kregg, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Chichester, Mr. and Mrs. McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and Miss Katherine Johnson.

A MUSICAL.  
A delightful musicale was given at Mr. and Mrs. Thilo Becker's pleasant home on South Bunker Hill avenue last evening. The programme consisted of well rendered piano solos by Mr. Becker's pupils, two songs from Kijuri and Meyer-Helmund by Miss Elizabeth Kimball and two exquisitely played solos, "A Love Dream" and "Sonnet de Petrarca," by Mr. Becker. Miss Roche, who possesses more than an ordinary amount of talent, played Schumann's "Papillons," a pastiche by Stavenhagen and Chopin's Valse in C sharp minor. Miss Miriam Barnes played with much expression and artistic taste, an Etude by Hensel, a Gigue by Searlatti, Liszt's Chant Polonais and an Octave Study by Grunfeld. Miss Payne played a Gondoliera by Liszt, and Mrs. Hofstad gave Liszt's "Cantique d'Amour" very charmingly.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.  
The ladies of the Second Presbyterian Church gave a delightful tea yesterday afternoon at the church parlors. The Rev. Randall Hall, D.D., professor of Hebrew in the General Theological Seminary, New York City, is stopping at the Nadeau, on his way East. He is accompanied by his family.

Mrs. M. A. Turnot of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Church, of Angeles Heights.  
Mrs. E. R. Threlkeld and sister, Miss Sallie Threlkeld of Kansas City, have gone to Coronado to stay over Sunday.  
Mrs. J. E. Packard of Pomona, daughter of Thomas H. Caswell of San Francisco, supreme grand commander of Supreme Council of Masons of United States, landed yesterday with her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Whitney, at No. 1115 South Hope street, on her way to San Francisco, to visit her parents.

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"grand Spanish barbecue" and incidentally to buy the eighty-eight lots in the center of town, which will be auctioned off by Ben E. Ward for the owner, H. L. Jones. There will be two excursions, one by the Santa Fe and one by the electric road. The auctioneer will begin work at 11 o'clock, and except for an intermission for lunch, will keep on until the property is all sold.

**SAM YUPS BOYCOTTED.**  
Important Meeting of the See Yup Merchants.  
Sam Yups and See Yups, price-cutters and boycotters respectively, are in for another row.

The Sam Yups are the Chinese Jews, the moneyed men, the sharp traders. The See Yups are far more numerous but less powerful as far as worldly possessions go. Some years ago the Sam Yups began to cut prices. This angered the men in the rival company and a boycott was declared. The trouble has spread all over the country. Whenever as many as fifty Chinamen are gathered together and there is a Sam Yup store, the See Yups have tried to enforce the boycott.

An effort was made to boycott the Los Angeles Sam Yup store some time ago, and Chinese policemen were stationed around Chinatown by the See Yups to use force if necessary. The police interfered and the boycott was a failure.  
Last evening there was an important meeting of See Yup merchants in the room which serves them as a sort of Board of Trade headquarters, on Los Angeles street. Four See Yup merchants from San Francisco were there, who have come south with the special object in view of reviving the boycott. Some twenty-five men were there and after long discussion, they adjourned with the understanding that they would meet again in the near future.  
The police are watching the matter and as long as the Chinamen are afraid to use force the boycott is apt to prove a failure.

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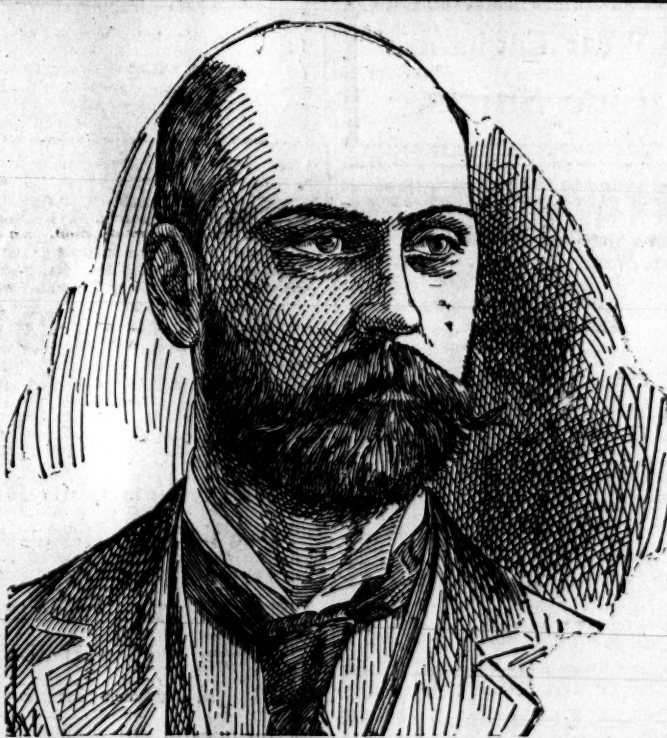
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C. C. Baker Powder, per can.....	3c	Large box Mustard Saffrines.....	3c
Dr. Price's Baking Powder, per lb.....	4c	Boston Baked Beans, per can.....	3c
H. O. for breakfast, per pkg.....	10c	Jelly Glasses, per doz.....	3c
Pilot Bread, per lb.....	3c	Ant Exterminator, per bottle.....	2c
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Have you noticed the many attractions in our show windows? Night Gowns for \$1; Ladies' Belts for 25c; Purses and Pocketbooks 10 and 25c; Shirt Waist sets 10c, 15c, 25c, three of the best values yet offered; Perfumery 25c; Handkerchiefs 4 for 25c. They are all better than the usual for the price.

We are selling a line of 75c Hair Brushes for 35c. Not many. They are pure bristles.  
Knitting Silks in all colors, 10c. Spool Silk, black, only 3c a spool.

We have a few reductions in new black Dress Goods. A few pieces to fill in the 50c line. They have been reduced from 75c.

We have a few good skirt lengths in Black Goods for less than the regular price.

Ladies' and Children's Sun Bonnets, 25c and up.  
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## CITY BRIEFS

The Times is prepared to furnish, for 75 cents, handsome gilt frames with heavy front glass, to patrons who desire to preserve the photograph picture of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, which was presented to our readers with the issue of July 4.

Santa Catalina Island. Three steamers Saturday from San Pedro. Night illuminations. Grand concerts Sunday. See Southern Pacific or Terminal time tables, or Hanning Company, 222 South Spring street.

Dr. Le Doux has removed to the Wilcox block, corner of Second and Spring streets, over Jevne's new store.

Victor single tubs are on display, put on any wheel, \$12 per pair, 421 South Broadway.

For lunch, berries, ice cream, cake and coffee, 25 cents, Hollenbeck Hotel Café.

Don't forget eighty-eight lots, two houses, Santa Monica tomorrow; auction.

Special-Fine cabinet photos reduced to \$1 per doz. "Sunbeam," 236 E. Main. Lot for 29 cents at Santa Monica auction tomorrow. Round trip 20 cents.

The Grand View Hotel, Catalina, has the finest location on the island.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Frankie Z. White, A. M. Grant, R. L. Poynton, Mrs. H. W. Blaisdell, James T. Thomson and J. J. Vosburg.

Teung W. A. Chinaman, without visible means of support, was arrested by Officer Lennon on Los Angeles street last night and locked up at police headquarters on a charge of vagrancy.

Hereafter the Wilmington Transportation Company will run three boats on Saturdays from San Pedro to Catalina. The travel is increasing and is already 40 per cent. greater than at this time last year.

John L. Plummer is the owner of the Plummer block tract, where Robert M. Todd was killed by the discharge of a revolver. Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Todd's subdivision lies near Ninth street and Vermont avenue.

A mother's meeting of the Central Women's Christian Temperance Union will occur today. The subject for discussion is "Right and Wrong Punishments." The meeting will occur at Temperance Temple at 2:30 p.m.

George Parks, accompanied by his wife, went to police headquarters last night with their son, George Leroy Parks, whom they say is incorrigible, and that they wish him sent to a reformatory. He will be tried in Police Court today.

A Pasadena man, H. L. Joseph, agent for the Pasadena and Los Angeles Electric Road, is in the field with an assortment of silver and gold nuggets made into buttons to wear as campaign badges. These nuggets of white and yellow metal are designed to indicate their wearer's political preference though many people will doubtless be discovered wearing one of each kind.

### PERSONALS.

Hancock Banning went to Catalina yesterday.

Miss Jesucita F. Lopez has gone to San Francisco.

J. W. Spencer of San Francisco is at the Nadeau.

W. Carlson, Mayor of San Diego, is at Hotel Broadway.

John C. Atkinson of Henderson, Ky., is at the Hollenbeck.

F. H. Lowe of Catalina Island was in Los Angeles yesterday.

Maj. George Easton of San Francisco is at the Westminster.

Miss Bessie and Miss McKennie of San José are at the Hollenbeck.

Howard Winans and wife of Detroit, Mich., are staying at the Nadeau.

Mrs. F. J. Gilmore left yesterday for Lake Tahoe for a month's visit.

G. P. Taylor, a Los Angeles man, is staying at Hotel Westminster in New York.

Police Commissioner Guy Barham will return today from a short trip to San Francisco.

N. F. Welsh of this city is in New York. He registered at the Imperial in that city yesterday.

Mrs. S. C. Heineman and Mrs. P. B. McCabe of Phoenix, Ariz., are registered at the Nadeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Miss E. Gay of the Hawaiian Islands, have apartments at the Westminster.

Mrs. Hart and daughter of Toledo, O., and Mr. Higginbotham and wife of Stockton are at Hotel Broadway.

Mrs. M. J. Brandenstein and family and Miss Brandenstein of San Francisco are staying at the Westminster.

Thomas R. Bard, Miss Bagust, Miss Bard, Tom Bard and the Misses Bard are registered at the Hollenbeck from Hueneme.

E. H. Coover, Chicago; S. P. Merick, San Francisco; Ida Kellum, Joplin, Mo.; C. H. Hill, Baltimore, and Mrs. E. Marlowe, New York are at Hotel Ramona.

Hon. E. E. Norton, one of the cattle barons of Southern Arizona, is visiting his brother, John H. Norton, a well-known business man of this city, whose residence is at No. 834 West Twenty-eighth street.

Watching the Bulletin Boards.

News from the Democratic convention in Chicago was in demand yesterday. Crowds of people, men for the most part, watched the bulletin boards, at the Times office, and Western Union headquarters, to read the latest doings of the "unwashed." The news as it came over the wires, now relating to candidates, then to platforms, and again to speeches made, was discussed freely by the crowds, and the curbside orator was in his element. Questions of finance, party expediency and the like, were settled half a dozen times during the day. And the man without an opinion upon the convention doings was in a decided minority. Today's proceedings will be noticed on the Times bulletin boards, as heretofore.

Case of Hoxie Against Bryant.

Mrs. Harriet E. Hoxie has not given up her fight against E. I. Bryant, and declares that in the civil suit she has brought against him since for September 29 she will show him up in a way he does not like. In regard to the report of charge, Mrs. Hoxie says the note and mortgage were due April 5, 1893, and were tendered to Mr. Bryant and a settlement demanded. The civil suit, but he refused to settle, and that he has had opportunities to settle the affair since the note became due, but he desired to do so. He not only refused to settle but induced the notes without recourse, so as to prevent recovery against him if possible.

Fourth of July Funds.

The Fourth of July Executive Committee is confident of paying every bill contracted in providing the late celebration, and even hopes to leave a nest egg for next year's committee. A meeting of the committee was held last evening for the purpose of auditing a number of bills, which require settlement at once. A full and accurate account of the money received and expended will be rendered by the committee in a few days.

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The Pasadena and Pacific Railway Company has purchased twenty-eight new cars from the Pullman Company of Chicago. Eight of the cars are similar to those already in use. Twenty are combination semi-open cars and are designed for summer travel and excursions. They are finished elaborately in oak and ash, and have reversible cane seats with spring bottoms.

All of these cars are equipped with fifty horse-power Westinghouse motors. They are thirty-five feet long and weigh from 20,000 to 25,000 pounds. Every effort was made by the Pullman Company to make these the finest cars of this class ever turned out.

There was much favorable comment upon them by eastern railway men who saw them before they were shipped. All but six of the cars have already been received, and the remainder will probably arrive within a day or two.

EXCURSION TO SAN DIEGO.

An attractive programme has been prepared by the San Diego citizens and Chamber of Commerce for the entertainment of all who visit San Diego and Coronado on the next popular excursion, July 10 and 11. These excursions afford an opportunity for many tired and over-heated residents of the interior to enjoy a day, week or month of sea air and cool breezes, while the entertainment provided by the Chamber of Commerce gives all a chance to see the back country of San Diego.

Trade of Santa Barbara will provide entertainment for all visitors and have arranged for favorable hotel rates.

The new machinery of the Los Angeles Railway Company is being put in place at the power-house on Central avenue. When the improvements are completed the company will have the largest electrical plant in the city.

The Pasadena and Pacific Railway is making arrangements with the Mt. Lowe Railway to sell through tickets from Los Angeles to Mt. Lowe. This will be an accommodation to all who make the trip. The Pasadena and Pacific Railway is ballasting its entire line with gravel.

HELD THEM AT BAY.

Lively Scene in a Chinese Lottery Den.

Albert H. Ryan, a young man who was recently arrested on a charge of malicious mischief, had a lively time in a Chinese den in Chinatown last night. He went into the place to buy a Chinese lottery ticket, and got into a dispute because the celestial did not want to sell him a ticket. In the melee which followed Ryan, it is claimed, drew his revolver and held the crowd of Mongolians at bay while he backed out. He was followed by Quon Chik, a fan "spotter," and Chick demanded Ryan's arrest of Officer McClain, on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Ryan and a permit, and the officer refused to accommodate the Chinaman, who became so abusive and boisterous that McClain locked him up on a charge of disturbing the peace.

SAN DIEGO AND RETURN.

Friday and Saturday, July 10 and 11, tickets good returning within thirty days. Trains leave Santa Fe La Grande station at 9:05 a.m. and 2 p.m.

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And yet sterling quality, a great variety of small pieces for table service are quite acceptable.

Especially chaste and delicate are the sterling wares in gilt and enamel.

The California Violet decoration deserves special mention for daintiness and appropriateness.

LISSNER & CO., 235 S. Spring St., Los Angeles

Broadway and 11th St., Oakland

### WOMAN RUN DOWN.

Mrs. Holy Sustains a Fractured Arm and Other Injuries.

Mrs. J. Holy, wife of the proprietor of the Hotel Primrose, was severely injured yesterday afternoon at the corner of Broadway and Second streets.

Mrs. Holy was walking across Broadway when she was knocked down by a horse, the driver of which, a young woman, is not known.

The unfortunate woman sustained a bad fracture of her left arm, and her shoulder was also dislocated. She was conveyed to her home in a carriage.

The reckless driver passed on without stopping.

Two Suspicious Characters.

Officer Dixon saw two men at First and Main streets last night, who were attempting to dispose of a valuable lamp, which he believed to have been stolen.

He arrested the men and sent them to police headquarters, where they gave the names of Crescencio Valasquez and José Bargas. They were booked on a charge of suspicion, and the detectives are investigating the matter.

A Pair of New Trustees.

An Associated Press dispatch from Sacramento says the Governor today appointed Telfair Creighton trustee of the State Normal School at Los Angeles, vice F. A. Moynaux. He also appointed Charles H. Keyes trustee of the Whittier Reform School, vice Andrew Mullen, term expired.

Licensed to Wed.

James M. Shields, a native of Ohio, aged 33, and Maud Senior, a native of Missouri, aged 25; both of Los Angeles.

William Harvey Daugherty, a native of Oregon, aged 30, and May Agnes Rood, a native of Illinois, aged 25; both of Los Angeles.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

BROWN-GARDNER—In this city, at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Patterson, July 5, by Rev. W. M. Sterling, Carl Brown and Miss Ida M. Gardner, both of Pasadena.

DEATH RECORD.

TEMPLETON—At 2 p.m., July 9, at his late residence, west of the Baptist College, Mrs. Sarah A. Templeton, beloved wife of Mr. S. H. Templeton.

Funeral today (Friday) at 2 p.m., Sunday.

DODGE—In this city, July 6, 1894, Mrs. V. J. Dodge, aged 46 years.

Funeral today (Friday) at 10 a.m., in the parlors of Kregelo & Breese, Sixth and Broadway. Friends invited to attend.

## Wear Eagleson's Fine Shirts.

25c.

Fancy Lace Edge, Chenille Dot Veils, in all colors, worth up to 50c each, at 25c each.

Veilings by the yard, your choice from the entire stock. Many pieces worth up to 95c the yard. For today and Saturday at 25c.

MARVEL Cut Rate

MILLINERY CO., 241-243 S. Broadway.

Double Store.

## OUTING.... SHIRTS.

If you are contemplating a trip to the beach or mountains call around and take a look at our immense line of Outing Shirts in cheviot, madras, percale, sateen, silk and linen, silk and wool, pongee silk, etc. We have them in all grades ranging in price from 50c to \$4.00. We are also extensive dealers in underwear and can give you some splendid values in lightweight goods at 45c, 50c, 75c and 90c.

Silverwood,

The Exclusive Furnisher,

124 S. Spring St.

AUCTION.

Fine Furniture,

This Day, 10 o'clock.

332 W. First St.

THOMAS B. CLARK,

Auctioneer.

# WHITE HOUSE STOCK SALE

The Great Sale gathers force as it goes. Gather the bargains while you may.

## Sale of the White House Stock Notions.

Hair Pins, in paper, White House price 25c; OUR PRICE, doz. 80c  
Weller's Waving Pins, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 30c  
3-inch Lead Crimpers, White House price 7c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
2 doz Hooks and Eyes, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Paper American Pins, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Ball Crochet Cotton, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Spoon Cover Steel, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
O. N. T. Darning Cotton, White House price 2c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Safety Pins, in paper, White House price 5c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Covered Press Steel, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c

Stationery.

1 box Paper and Envelopes, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c  
Box 500 X Envelopes, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c  
Doz. Rubber Tipped Lead Pencils, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c  
Bottle good Ink, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c  
20 Sheet Tablets, White House price 15c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c

Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, scalloped and open work borders, White House price 12c; OUR PRICE, doz. 12c  
Ladies' White Hemmed Dotted Lawn Handkerchiefs, White House price 5c; OUR PRICE, doz. 5c  
Misses' Colored Border Hemstitch Handkerchiefs, White House price 3c; OUR PRICE, doz. 3c

Belts.

Ladies' Mexican Leather Belts, cinch and buckle fasteners, White House price 20c; OUR PRICE, doz. 20c  
20 Ladies' Belts, in all widths and styles, White House price 10c; OUR PRICE, doz. 10c  
Ladies' Silver Belt Pins, White House price 10c; OUR PRICE, 2 for 5c

### The Annex

Is offering some wonderful bargains. If you've been there you know what; if you haven't, don't let another today pass without being in the crush.

## Men's Straw Hats

Our entire stock of

Must be closed out this month. Profit is no consideration. Half prices and less will buy any Straw Hat in this great stock.

60c Straw Hats for... 25c \$1.75 Straw Hats for... 75c  
85c Straw Hats for... 40c \$2.00 Straw Hats for... 90c  
\$1.10 Straw Hats for... 50c \$2.25 Straw Hats for... \$1.00  
\$1.50 Straw Hats for... 65c \$2.50 Straw Hats for... \$1.15  
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## Sale of the White House Toilet Soaps.

Extract of Cactus, Buttermilk and Glycerine Complexion Soap, White House price 10c; OUR PRICE, cake 2c  
Transparent Glycerine Soap, White House price 10c; OUR PRICE, cake 3c  
Deboru and Quinlin Shaving Soap, White House price 10c; OUR PRICE, cake 3c

Ribbons.

9-inch wide black Moire Sash Ribbons, White House price 50c; OUR PRICE, doz. 50c  
No. 2 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c  
No. 3 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c  
No. 4 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c  
No. 5 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c  
No. 6 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c  
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No. 8 Ribbons, yard 5c, piece 4c

Purses.

Ladies' All-Leather Combination Purses and Card-cases, White House price \$1.00; OUR PRICE, doz. 40c  
Ladies' assorted styles Pocket-books and Purses, White House price 35c; OUR PRICE, doz. 15c

Fans.

Black Ottrich Feather Fans, White House price \$5; OUR PRICE, doz. \$1.00

Embroideries.

100 pieces narrow Cambric Insertions, White House price 65c; OUR PRICE, yard, 2c

## Alteration Sale Shoes.

Children's and Misses' canvas Bathing Slippers, alteration sale price \$1.50  
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XV YEAR

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Wrinkles, Pimples, Tan

Positively prevented by using the Skin Food, LOLA MONTEZ CREME. This creme removes age traces, prevents wrinkles, keeps the skin smooth and healthy, thus insuring a complexion permanently beautiful. 75c a jar. Lasts 3 months. Soothes and relieves all skin irritations. Good for insect bites. Sold in Los Angeles by druggists. C. F. Heinze-man, 222 N. Main St.; H. M. Sale & Son, 220 South Spring Street.

I have been a Beauty Doctor many years with great success. I know what ladies need, and I tell just the articles that create and preserve health and beauty. My book tells all about them. Ladies out of Los Angeles sending this coupon, with 10 cents in stamps, will receive a book of instructions and a box of Skin Food and Face Powder Free. Address MRS. NETTIE HARRISON, Dermatologist, 40-42 Geary Street, San Francisco, Cal.

COUPON TRIAL BOX N. Spring st., near Temple. N. Spring st., near Temple.

Duck and Linen Suits, Gloves, Ladies' and Men's Neckwear and Hosiery. Extremely Good Values.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Price. Includes items like Duck Suits, Black Dress Skirts, Linen Suits, and various hosiery and gloves.

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May be beyond your reach, but the prices we have marked on OUR CHAIRS bring them within everybody's reach.

Niles Pease, Furniture and Carpets. 337-339-341 S. Spring St.

Now Ready. ROWAN'S Pocket Map of Los Angeles County, accurately locating by recent survey all Wagon and Electric Roads, Railways, Stations, Postoffices, Streams, Mountains, Islands, Section, Township and Range of an occupied government lands, mineral and agricultural. Mailed to any address. Price 50c post paid. GARDNER & OLIVER, Publishers, Booksellers and Stationers 108 and 320 South Spring St.

PAINT. Do you wonder why your house and your neighbor's house look bad? I tell you. They were not painted with the Wiedner Pure Prepared Paint. The only paint particularly adapted for this climate. We can and will guarantee this to be strictly pure. No substitutes, but Lead and Zinc. Sold only by CAL. PAINT CO., 441 S. Broadway.

PRICES CUT

Order Your Clothes Now. GORDAN, The Tailor, 104 S. Spring st.

SAW HIM STABBED.

Damaging Testimony Introduced in the Bennett Murder Trial.

Spillman Says His Prosecution Results from Conspiracy.

Permits to Stand Their Wagons Granted Expressmen by the Police Commission—Business Transacted by the Sewer Committee.

At the City Hall yesterday the Police Commission and Sewer Committee held regular sessions, disposing of much routine business. The Building Committee of the Board of Education directed Secretary Danby to advertise for bids for the enlargement of the street school, and the developments during the coming year were filed with the City Auditor by the Street Superintendent and Building Superintendent.

At the Court house yesterday a jury was selected in the trial of Bennett for the murder of Czarke. The testimony was of course all one way, with the defense to hear from. Spillman says there is a conspiracy against him. Lawrence gets judgment. Mrs. Ward has filed a complaint to recover \$4000 on an old judgment in an occupation in disbursement of W. T. Blakely was not properly verified. Beyle's suit for constructing a dam near Chatsworth Park is on trial before a jury in Judge Van Dyke's court. A balance of \$12,542.90 is claimed by the defendant, and the dam fell down. An information was filed charging Carpenter, Hamm and Mitchell with passing a counterfeit bill. A complaint has been sworn out by S. P. Creasinger, charging Sanborn with obtaining money under false pretenses. Eleven applicants were admitted to citizenship.

POLICE COMMISSION.

PERMITS GRANTED UNDER THE HITTING ORDINANCE.

Estimates of Money Needed for Next Year in Their Department. Park Commission and Building Superintendent.

The Police Commission yesterday acted on about five applications from expressmen and others for permits to occupy stands in various parts of the business portion of the city. As each application received was accompanied by the requisite consent of the property owners affected, the Chief was instructed to make out permits for all. These will be signed by the Mayor today, and may be obtained from the clerk at any time.

John W. Bryson, Sr., petitioned the board to allow him the privilege of hitching his horse on Second and Spring streets, in front of his building, during the day. As the board is not given any option in that matter under the ordinance, the petition was filed.

The commission received the following communication from the City Clerk: "At a meeting of the City Council held July 6, 1896, the ordinance creating the office of oil inspector, fixing his salary and defining his duties was repealed, and the City Attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance allowing the police department one additional man, and the police department instructed to keep an officer in the oil district for the purpose of collecting licenses and regulating said district."

The commissioners, inspired by an intense zeal to succor the oil inspector, acted upon this communication, which was an entirely superfluous document, from the clerk, by adopting a motion made by Commissioner Wirsching that the provisions be carried into effect. This was supposed to mean that Methvin, the oil inspector, was thus made an officer in the City Clerk's communication. The entire proceeding was somewhat ridiculous, as the Council has yet to adopt the ordinance, abolishing the office of oil inspector, having only instructed the City Attorney to prepare such an ordinance last Monday. That it will be adopted is probable, but such action is taken the oil inspector continues to hold his position, and the Police Commission, by affecting to appoint Methvin as special officer, only demonstrated in the opinion of those who understand the proceeding, its frantic desire to thwart the apparent wish of the Council, in ordering an ordinance prepared, abolishing Methvin's job.

The monthly report of the Chief was received and ordered filed.

Liquor licenses were granted to John Casters, at No. 106 Court Street, and Kopp and McFee, at No. 529 East First Street. Action on the application of J. H. Kohn, for license at No. 901 East First Street, was deferred one week to determine a question of frontage.

DIRECTOR GRUBB IS HAPPY.

Successful in His Efforts to Enlarge the Seventh-Street School.

The face of School Director Grubb, beamed with beatific satisfaction yesterday afternoon, as he sat in the office of the School Superintendent, and heard the recommendation of the Board of Education Building Committee, that the secretary at once advertise for bids for the enlarging of the Seventh-street school. Plans were recently submitted to the committee by a firm of architects for the building of six additional rooms in the school, and after careful examination of these plans, the committee made the recommendation to the board, having been given power to act in the matter by the Board of Education.

Director Grubb, in whose ward this school is located, has for months been working to consummate the project of enlarging the Seventh-street school, and is very much gratified over the outcome of his efforts. The work is to cost about \$8000.

ESTIMATES FILED.

Those Made by the Street and Building Superintendents.

The Street Superintendent yesterday filed with the City Auditor, as required by the charter, of all city officials, an estimate of the amount of money, deemed necessary by him, to operate the street department during the present fiscal year. He asks for \$95,190. Of this amount, \$8000 is for his own salary, \$2800 for the salaries of his deputies; \$42,400 for the wages of laborers;

\$17,280 for street sweeping; \$415 for office supplies; and the remainder for supplies used in the streets of the city. Last year the Street Superintendent asked for \$115,423, and was allowed \$104,773. He makes the statement that if the annexed territory is decided by the courts to be a part of the city, he will need \$5000 more than his estimate of \$95,190.

Building Superintendent Strange, in his estimate filed with the Auditor, asks for \$471.66 a month. Of this amount \$116.66 is for his own salary, \$100 for plumbing inspector, \$100 for an assistant building superintendent, \$50 for an assistant plumbing inspector, and the remainder for office supplies. The average monthly receipts of this office are stated by the Building Superintendent to be about \$175.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Estimates Made of the Amount Needed to Run the Parks.

The Board of Park Commissioners yesterday directed the secretary to file with the City Auditor the following estimate of the amounts needed to operate the park department during the coming year.

General park fund, including labor, supplies, new improvements and salary of superintendent and secretary, \$9600; Westlake park, \$11,100; Eastlake Park, \$11,100; Elysian Park, \$10,400; Hollenbeck Park, \$2500; Echo Park, \$4000; nursery fund, \$2500; total, \$53,900. Last year the department asked for \$53,214, and was given \$46,383.29.

The park department has recently been made the recipient of a number of plants and flower collections, and the secretary made to the board yesterday a detailed report of these donations, as follows:

W. L. Hardison of the Union Oil Company (Santa Anita) has presented to the city parks, through the Los Angeles Botanical Society, a box of magnificent orchids from Central America. J. C. Hartman, president of the Los Angeles Botanical Society, has presented some established specimens of rare orchids. James H. Denham has presented to the city parks a collection of Mexican and California cacti and succulents, comprising some two hundred distinct varieties, which now occupy the water tank of the East Side conservatory. This collection is in addition to the cacti bought of Mr. Denham by the city. The collection bought will be placed in the water tank of the parks, as soon as suitable quarters can be arranged for. Mr. Bowers of West Glendale has donated a good specimen of the Brazilian plant, Vateria Burkei Philadelphia, since his recent visit to Los Angeles, sends a box of seeds and novelties, which have arrived in good condition.

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THE CZARSKA MURDER.

ELISHA BENNETT IS ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE.

McDowell Says He Saw Him Plunge the Knife into the Murdered Man—Witness and Terrill Give Damaging Testimony.

The trial of Elisha L. Bennett, charged with the murder of Fred Czarke on March 6, 1896, was begun before a jury in Judge Smith's department yesterday afternoon, a day and a half having been consumed in the empanelling of a jury.

Czarke was the proprietor of the True Blue saloon, at No. 122 West Third street, and the fatal stabbing occurred in that place.

The prosecution is being conducted by Deputy District Attorney McComas. Shinn and Oliver are looking after the interests of the defendant.

Bennett has been engaged in handling bicycles in this city for two or three years.

The first witness called by the prosecution was J. E. McDowell, a bartender, and brother-in-law of the murdered man. He testified that on the evening of the fatal affray Bennett came into the saloon and talked very loud and abusive. McDowell said he did not appear to know him until all hay-seeds can ride a bicycle now, and Bennett resented it, and commenced swearing violently. Czarke remonstrated with the defendant, and told him that he (McDowell) was his brother-in-law; this statement only enraged Bennett, and he commenced using foul and indecent language in the presence of Mrs. Czarke, and when asked to desist, became furious, and threatened to wipe up the floor with McDowell, and threatened to whip the deceased Czarke. The defendant then walked back to know he had been knocked him down, and the two were fighting about the room when the witness came out from behind the bar and separated them, threatening to send for a patrol wagon and have them carted to the Police Station. If they did not desist, McDowell says he walked back to his former position behind the bar; Czarke walked up to the bar, placed his foot upon the lower bar, with his arm resting on the bar, and stood in this position facing a man named Burke; no words were spoken; Bennett walked across the room and stood against the wall, and after remaining in this position for fifteen or twenty seconds, pulled out his knife, opened the blade and walked quietly across to where Czarke was standing, suddenly reaching by Burke and plunged the knife into Czarke.

As he walked back to near his former position and stood there, no words being spoken by anyone. The deceased did not appear to know he had been stabbed, but presently reached down and pulled his shirt out of his trousers and held up the protruding intestines.

At this act on the part of the victim, Bennett picked up his hat and walked slowly out of the saloon.

Dr. Bryant was called and testified that Czarke's death was caused by the wound.

James Withner was called to the witness-box and testified that he was the saloon keeper at the time of the trouble, but went away before the quarrel occurred. Bennett was in the saloon, and was drunk and very abusive and quarrelsome.

S. Terrill was the next witness called. He was in the saloon on the evening of the trouble in company with Withner. They were playing pool, but went away before hostilities had begun. He corroborated Terrill in the statement that Bennett was drinking and abusive.

The cause will be resumed this morning. It is said Burke is not in the city, but his whereabouts are known. A subpoena probably reached him at Calicut last night.

The defense promises to spring a sensation, but its nature is not yet known. The cause may reach the jury this week.

SPILLMAN IS CONTINUED.

Examination July 17—Warren Cause Postponed.

The cause of the people against Spillman, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, was called in Justice Young's court yesterday, and continued till July 17, at 10:30 a. m.

Spillman's attorney claims there is an organized conspiracy against the defendant and that the District Attorney's office is being used as a cat's paw. He declares that if it is given he can unearth the unholy plot.

The action against Warren upon the same charge was continued to July 18 at 10:30 a. m. The outcome in this case depends upon developments under the Spillman examination.

ELEVEN NEW CITIZENS.

England, Germany, Sweden and Santa Monica and Pomona Each Make a Contribution.

The following persons were admitted to citizenship by Judge McKinley yesterday: Harry Andrews, a native of England; Paul R. Egerer and Francis M. Egerer, natives of Germany; Adolph Schorff, a native of England; Giovanni Nebbia, a native of Italy; Ambrose Clare, a native of Great Britain, was admitted to citizenship in Judge Shaw's court yesterday.

The following citizens were admitted to citizenship in Judge Van Dyke's court yesterday: J. A. Moberg, a native of Sweden; John H. Brown a native of Canada; Louis Scherb, a native of Germany; William Dickey, a native of Great Britain, was admitted to citizenship in Judge York's court yesterday. Ad. Gow, J. L. Lissay, a subject of the same power.

COUNTY JAIL ARRIVALS.

Santa Monica and Pomona Each Make a Contribution.

Joe Rogers, an old soldier, was brought in from Santa Monica yesterday, and booked at the County Jail to do time on a sentence of \$5.00 for disturbing the peace.

Pomona contributed Allen Barnes, sentenced to ten days' confinement upon a charge of vagrancy.

A BIG SUIT.

Beyle Claims a Heavy Balance—A Jury Trial.

The suit of Robert Beyle against the San Fernando Valley Improvement Company, the San Fernando Valley Water Company and W. B. Barber for \$12,542.90, is in progress before Judge Van Dyke and a jury. This action is brought to recover for labor and material expended in the construction of a dry rubble stone dam, with mortar foundation and concrete at heel and concrete face, located near Chatsworth Park.

of which but \$656 has been paid, leaving a balance of \$11,886.90, for which amount judgment is asked.

The work of construction was begun in the spring of 1895, and ended in December of the same year.

The defendants claim the dam was so poorly constructed that it collapsed and has tumbled into a pile of ruins.

Motion Denied.

In the action of Cole against Stewart, Judge Shaw yesterday, refused to grant the motion to dissolve the attachment, with leave for the defendant to renew the motion if he so desired.

Lawrence Gets Judgment.

In the action of G. W. Lawrence against Uri Embury and others, Judge Shaw entered judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$1253.09, and for foreclosure of lease.

Letters of Administration.

R. L. Horton has filed a petition for letters of administration in the estate of Lottie Cotterell, deceased. The property is valued at \$600.

Action to Quiet Title.

William Hayes has instituted proceedings against Pierre Leon Ducasse and Margaret Annie Ducasse to quiet title to lot 3, block C, Martin tract, city of Los Angeles.

Suit to Recover Judgment.

Cornelia M. Ward has filed an action against C. G. Compton and W. S. Compton to recover \$4150, due upon a judgment entered in the Superior Court of this county December 30, 1891.

Foreclosure of Lien.

The Madera Flume and Trading Company and the Crescent Coal Company have filed suit against C. H. Metcalf and others for the sum of \$50.30, 150 attorneys' fees and for the foreclosure of a lien upon lots 1 and 2, subdivision of the Dunkelberger tract.

Not Properly Verified.

The disbursement of W. T. Blakely was heard in Judge York's court yesterday. The demurrer was overruled, and the following order was made: "It appearing to the court that the accusation herein is not verified in the manner required by law, it is ordered that said accusation be and the same is hereby dismissed without prejudice to the filing of a new accusation properly verified."

Insolvents Appear in Court.

In the insolvency of Fuller & Lewis, the following order was made in Judge York's court yesterday: "That the citation of Henry Fuller on the assignee to show cause why he should not deliver to him three leases made by Fuller & Lewis by Jacob Hirsch, Wilber Hayes and Mrs. Fredrickson, together with the moneys to become due under said leases, and any other claims, be made by one of the bell boys who, in passing through the hall, noticed the odor of escaping gas, traced it to the room occupied by Razalle, and, upon opening the door, was horrified at what he saw."

Look Pleading Tomorrow.

Lem Ah Look will plead to a charge of burglary in Judge Smith's department on July 11.

Kingsbury to Plead.

Albert Kingsbury will appear in Judge Smith's court on July 13, to enter his plea upon the charge of murdering Grijalva at Compton on May 31.

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## Pasadena Yesterday.



## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

**BRANCH OFFICE OF THE TIMES.**  
No. 41 East Colorado street, Tel. 209.

**PASADENA, July 9, 1896.**  
Gunther's Mead at McCam's.  
Fine kangaroo shoes, handbags at  
Eates Shoe Factory, No. 113 South Fair  
Oaks.

Miss Greenleaf left today for Ken-  
tucky, where she will spend the sea-  
son.

Misses Mollie and Katie Hutchinson  
of Brahm, Tex., are the guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. E. Lockett.

Mrs. William Faulkner and the Misses  
Faulkner of Gardfield avenue are at the  
Arcadia Hotel, Santa Monica.

Arrangements are being made to  
have a double female quartette furnish  
the music at the First Congregational  
Church Sunday morning.

Albert Marshall, the night clerk at  
the Sunset Telephone office, has been  
promoted to the Los Angeles office.

The electric road has put sixteen new  
cars into service during the week just  
ended. They are well patronized, in  
spite of the summer season's usual dull-  
ness.

T. P. Lukens and Walter Richardson  
left today for three months' mount-  
aineering in the Kern River country.  
They will join Howard Longley on Mt.  
Whitney during the trip.

Wong Chin, a case is set for Satur-  
day morning at 9 o'clock and a jury will  
be summoned. This is to save time,  
as Wong was unable to say whether  
or not he desired a jury trial.

The bulletin boards were surrounded  
all day by a crowd of Republicans,  
Populists and Democrats, and some  
heated political arguments prevailed  
on the questions of the hour.

Invitations, limited to the intimate  
friends, have been issued for the mar-  
riage of Miss Fanny Maud Casteline  
and Hiram D. Parsons of Batavia, N.  
Y., at the home of the bride's parents  
on South Euclid avenue, on Wednes-  
day, July 22, at 10 o'clock p.m.

The field work on the city assess-  
ment is done, the statements have  
nearly all been copied and with the  
completion of the writing up of the  
"unknown voters," the assessment will  
begin July 15 and take two weeks, the entire  
assessment list will be completed.

The funeral of George Blockberger,  
who died in Santa Ana recently from  
the effects of a runaway accident, was  
held here today under the undertaking  
rooms of Reynolds & Van Nuy. The  
burial was in Mountain View Cem-  
tery. The services were given in the  
direction of the local G.A.R. Post.

Mr. Leach of the Los Angeles House  
has personally lost no money  
through the transactions of his clerk,  
Frank Tillman. The alleged bogus  
checks were given to Tillman, who  
partially cashed them. Steps are  
being taken, on the part of some of  
those who lost on the deal, to have the  
matter adjudged.

## RAILROADS POOL ISSUES.

**Tickets on One Good Returning on**  
The Southern Pacific and Southern  
California Railroad have pooled their  
local issues, the order having gone into  
effect today. The importance of the  
order to local beach and resort traffic  
will be great, and the convenience of  
the arrangement made is such that it  
is commended by Pasadena people. It  
is supposed that the same sort of an  
arrangement has been perfected where-  
ever the two for which the pooling is  
in competition in this portion of the State.

The result upon the employees of the  
two roads will probably not be so  
favorable as the travel of the public.  
It is likely that it will enable both  
roads to discharge many men, and no  
"hustling" for business in each other's  
territory would be profitable under the  
arrangement.

It has been ordered that all tickets  
over the Southern Pacific or Southern  
California roads to the mountains and  
the beaches, are good returning over  
the other road, the same rate being  
charged, and vice versa. Santa Monica  
is that for which the privilege is  
particularly pooled, as the electric cars  
have cut a figure with both this season.  
Such an arrangement commends it-  
self to the public, as the travel of the  
beaches is arranged in such a manner as to fit  
most probably, and the business trains  
to and from Los Angeles on both roads  
are so timed as to suit the convenience  
of those who reside in Pasadena but  
do business in Los Angeles. A heavy  
beach business is done here from this  
point, especially on Sundays, both by  
the railways and the electric line.

## Loan and Building Association.

At the stockholders' meeting of the  
Pasadena Mutual Loan and Building  
Association Wednesday afternoon, the  
secretary's reports showed a gain of  
\$1300 in profits for the last six months,  
and a brisk business in the sale of stock.  
The fifth series has been issued and  
is being rapidly disposed of. T. P. Lu-  
kens, A. L. Hamilton, W. R. Staats,  
Benjamin Jarvis, P. Orhan, R. H. Pin-  
ney and B. W. Mann were elected di-  
rectors, and E. A. Weller, E. L. Bean  
and Charles E. Putnam, Auditing  
Committee. I. N. Todd, W. B. Clapp  
and C. E. Putnam also received sat-  
isfying votes for directors.

## Simons's Examination.

The examination of F. R. Simons,  
charged with rape, will be held in  
Pasadena Saturday, April 18. Simons  
applied for a change of venue, but was  
unable to give any legal reason for  
the application. Judge Rossiter, how-  
ever, has ruled that the case can  
ever be held in Pasadena, and that  
whereby Judge Morrison of Los Angeles  
will preside at the examination, which  
will be conducted for the people by  
the Deputy District Attorney, and for  
the defense by Judge Phillips of Los  
Angeles.

## BURNING ALCOHOL.

**Disastrous Outcome of a Friendly**  
**Boxing Match.**  
The fire department was called to the  
corner of Colorado street and Mar-  
tinez avenue at 7:45 o'clock this evening to  
respond to a call from Green's drug  
store. The basement of the building  
was full of smoke, and but for the  
prompt work of the department a serious  
fire would have occurred.

Harvey Randall, who is employed in  
Kelly's grocery store, and another  
young man, Fred Rogers by name, who  
is employed at the drug store, had gone  
down to the basement for a friendly  
bout with the gloves. They were  
both stripped to the waist. They were  
in the habit of boxing in the basement.  
In some manner they either overturned  
the lamp on the floor, or the gas  
leaked out of the latter, and the case  
of the packing, boxes and other inflam-

mable material in the basement caught  
fire.

There was a keg of alcohol in the  
basement, and realizing that the explo-  
sion would greatly add to the danger,  
Randall attempted to carry it out of  
the basement. It is supposed that the  
keg was badly burned, his hands and  
feet also being scorched. He succeeded, with-  
out assistance, in reaching his home,  
which is but half a block away. A  
physician, who made him up as com-  
fortable as the nature of his injuries  
would permit. The basement was  
flooded, but, beside the damage from  
smoke and water, little harm was done.



## FROM CATALINA.

**AVAILON, (Catalina Island) July 9.**  
(Special To The Times by the Flying-  
pigeon Hazel B. of the Catalina Car-  
rier Service.) In previous years  
there has been considerable complaint  
on the part of sensitive people over the  
hearty, frequently rude greeting they  
receive from the throng of spectators  
who mass themselves at the wharf en-  
trance of the arrival of each steamer.

Incoming passengers are treated to  
a perfect volley of exclamations from  
doubtless well-meaning young fellows,  
but which, nevertheless, savor  
strongly of hoodlumism. If a person  
has been so unfortunate as to pay tri-  
bute to the noisy and noisy crowd, he  
naturally does not care to have the at-  
tention of the whole throng called to  
it, and altogether the custom has come  
to be regarded as annoying.

The Banning company has decided  
this year to tolerate no more of this  
nonsense, and they will take measures  
to suppress it peacefully, if possible,  
forcibly if necessary. As an inaugura-  
tion of this very movement a novel  
plan has been hit upon, and was put  
into operation for the first time last  
night. The night of the steamer  
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## BUSINESS.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

## OFFICE OF THE TIMES.

Los Angeles, July 9, 1896.

**A REMARKABLE BANK.** A writer  
in a recent issue of a magazine has  
the following interesting account of a re-  
markable Norwegian bank, which is  
different from anything to be found on  
this continent:

"Socially, the bank is of considerable  
importance. The directors meet twice a  
week, and these friendly gatherings are  
said to be most enjoyable affairs. Loan  
and discounts form the chief subjects  
of conversation. No loan or discount  
can be made without the approval of  
three of the directors. Suppose the di-  
rectors are in a hurry, and you want to borrow  
100 kroner on Monday. You apply to the  
Norwegian Bank, and are told that the  
matter will be taken care of at a meet-  
ing of the directors' meeting on  
Wednesday, and you may look for an  
answer to your application by Thurs-  
day. It does not matter to the least  
whether you want the 100 kroner Monday  
or not; you simply have to wait.

After all, there is not so much  
absurdity or inconvenience to the bor-  
rower in this arrangement as seems at  
first glance. He who may want a loan  
only anticipates his needs, and prepares  
for it a few days in advance, instead of  
waiting until the last moment, and then  
wonders why he cannot get the money.  
And the bank is always able to make  
sure that its loans are safe ones.

The origin of this institution is un-  
usual. It was founded in 1814, when  
Sweden and Norway were united. Soon  
after the nominal union of Norway and  
Sweden, in 1814, the latter country  
began to feel the need of a bank of its  
own, and the Norwegian bank was  
founded. The situation was not unlike  
that in the United States at the time of  
the formation of the first United States  
bank.

"The problem of securing the neces-  
sary capital for a great national institu-  
tion was a very difficult one for the Nor-  
wegian government. It raised stock-  
holders for the bank just as it raised  
soldiers for its armies. Every volun-  
teer was made to contribute to the bank  
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3 and 4 Stone street, the importers,  
exhibited a quantity of the oranges  
many interested persons yesterday.  
The fruit was carefully packed in  
fanny tissue paper by F. S. Clampa  
& Sons, of Rodi, who are said to be  
the most extensive exporters of fruit  
in Italy. It was received in perfect  
condition, the boxes containing 160, 200  
and 300 oranges each, and each box  
containing 80, 100 and 180 each.

The fruit closely resembles Rodi  
oranges, and is said to be sweeter than  
the latter. It is a little sweeter than the Rodi,  
which have heretofore been the finest  
branges grown in Mediterranean coun-  
tries. Mr. Clampa, the veteran head  
of the firm, says that the new product  
is fully equal in every particular to  
the regular Rodi fruit, and that it will  
annually improve in quality for sev-  
eral years to come. Scions from the  
new trees will be extensively grafted  
upon the native Italian trees, so that in  
a few years there will be large crops  
of the Florida-Rodi oranges. It is a  
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Chiles—Dry, per string, 30; Mexican, per  
lb., 15; green, 1



## ORANGE COUNTY.

## A DEGREE TEAM OF MACCABEES IN TOWN.

A Mexican in Jail for Battering His Half Sister—Of Interest to Irrigators—Contempt Proceedings, News Notes and Personal.

**SANTA ANA, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) The degree team of the Maccabees, which is touring the southern portion of the State and holding schools of instruction, arrived in Santa Ana this morning.

This team is composed of thirteen members of the order, men of prominent influence, all well known enthusiasts as to the work being accomplished by the order. The party is in charge of C. A. Luckenbach, City Clerk of Los Angeles and deputy supreme commander of the State of California.

Mr. Luckenbach says the trip was taken under instructions from the supreme tent in order to familiarize all the tents with the work and to secure uniformity therein.

Speaking of his own order he said that it was founded fifteen years ago by Maj. N. S. Boynton, who is the recognized leader in fraternal beneficial organizations in the United States, and that from a membership of 700 at the close of 1881 it had grown to one of 237,000 in May of the present year, and had paid out \$1,575,671 in benefits during 1895. The membership of the order in California is about three thousand.

A flourishing tent of the order is located in this city and the members are entertaining the visitors in royal style.

From here the team will go to San Diego, where it will hold a school of instruction Friday evening.

**BATTERED HIS HALF SISTER.**

A Mexican named Bustaca Salas is languishing in the County Jail at least ten days, during which time he is expected to make due reparation for pounding his half sister, Angelina Morillo, almost to death, at the County Jail, and her eyes were eloquent evidence of the brutal assault which, as the evidence went to show, was administered by her unkind and revengeful half brother.

Salas committed the assault while under the influence of whiskey, and as he had spent so much of his money for red liquor he could not liquidate his debt and therefore was obliged to serve out his sentence of ten days.

**OF INTEREST TO IRRIGATORS.**

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Anaheim Union Water Company, a resolution relative to the regulation of the price of water stock was presented and subsequently adopted.

It declared that in view of the present facilities for distributing water and the consequent saving, stockholders are enabled to get what they want at less than formerly.

It says that owing to the increased quantity of stock offered for sale in consequence of the price of this company's stock has steadily declined, if the company continues it will be detrimental to the financial standing of the company.

Therefore it was ordered that a committee be appointed to endeavor to remedy this, and especially to investigate the sliding scale of prices for water adopted by the Santa Ana Valley Irrigation Company.

In commenting upon the resolution, the Anaheim Gazette has the following to say:

"The resolution is timely, and the matter involved in the question is one that appeals with significance to every irrigator in the district. But the remedy for the ills referred to is not far to seek. It is simply the exercise of the right of the district. With 2000 additional acres taken in, and 2000 shares of stock placed upon it, shareholders would not be so anxious to unload their stock, but would be compelled to protect their stock for their own protection."

**CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS POSTPONED.**

The contempt proceedings against James Irvine of the San Joaquin ranch came up in court Thursday morning on affidavits submitted by the defendant, showing that he was in default of the Los Angeles, was away from home, and that he could not look after the case just at this time. The case was therefore postponed to the city of San Joaquin, at which time it is expected Mr. Irvine will be on hand to take up proceedings.

**ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.**

The Knights of Pythias of Santa Ana installed officers last Wednesday evening for the ensuing term. The officers are: C. C. F. S. Roper, V. C.; B. E. Turner, P. G. S. Smith, M. of W. C.; W. Graham, K. of R. and S.; L. Thompson, M. of W. C. Roper, M. of W. C.; Arthur Lyon, M. of A. G. L. Maxwell, I. G. Charles Myrick, O. G. The officers were duly installed by A. D. Bishop, D. G. C. C. assisted by Grand Master at Arms W. H. Leiman, after which the knights indulged in a delightful banquet.

(Santa Ana Herald.) W. H. Burnham, of Orange, died at the age of forty-two years, San Diego, from Al Haywood, and Mr. and Mrs. Burnham and a party of friends sailed from Catalina yesterday for the city of San Joaquin, at which time it is expected Mr. Burnham will be on hand to take up proceedings.

It is conservatively estimated that the apricot crop in the Santa Ana Valley this year will be between 60 and 70 per cent of the average crop. Buyers are, as yet, not plentiful for the product, but it is expected that the market will move in a few days.

The remains of G. F. Blackburn, who died in Santa Ana Wednesday from injuries received in a runaway at Anaheim recently, were shipped to Pasadena Thursday for interment.

The Free Methodist Church is holding a series of religious meetings in a big tent at Buena Park a great deal of interest is reported as manifest in the meetings.

At a meeting of the Library Trustees Tuesday evening, it was decided to purchase a quantity of new books to the extent perhaps of \$100 or more.

Corporal A. G. Finley now holds C. L. medal for the best record at the last target practice, having won it from Private Thomas Vestal.

Sugar-beets are reported ripening rapidly, and it is thought now that the first shipment to China will probably be made about July 25.

Joe Acuna of Anaheim is in the County Jail in Santa Ana, on a charge of larceny. He is serving out a ten day sentence.

There was an exciting runaway on West Fourth street Thursday forenoon

by a meat market team, but no serious damage was done. A case or two of eggs were scattered along the street in much confusion.

The steam schooner Queen is unloading a cargo of lumber at Newport Beach.

## REDONDO.

**Spiritualists Will Have a Camp Meeting at the Amphitheater.**

**REDONDO, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) The spiritualists will have a camp-meeting here, commencing August 2. S. D. Dye, representing the Camp-meeting Association of Spiritualists, was in town Wednesday, and has made arrangements for the meetings, which are to be at the amphitheater. The building has been leased for two months, and an option for its purchase for the permanent use of the association has been obtained. The programme for the several sessions will include the appearance of a number of mediums and lecturers from the east. The sessions are to continue for thirty days.

## REDONDO BREVITIES.

Clyde Peck of Kalamazoo, Mich., and H. R. Barden of Phoenix, Ariz., are at the Redondo Hotel.

The people about Wisburn, which is on the Santa Fe between here and Inglewood, have petitioned that a post-office be reestablished there. The one formerly at that place was discontinued about four years ago.

The schooner Corona took twenty-five passengers on her trip north from here this morning.

Jefferson Chandler of Los Angeles, who has been making an extended tour of the State, will be joined by his family at the Redondo Hotel.

Postoffice Inspector Flint of Los Angeles was in town today.

Edgar Vail and family of Los Angeles are here for a two months' visit. Under Sheriff Clark of San Francisco, editor of the Hayes Valley Advertiser, of that city, is in town on an outing.

J. A. Walden of Jerome, Ariz., auditor and general freight and passenger agent of the United Verde and Pacific Railway Company, is here.

Capt. Fred H. Teale of Co. C, N. G. C., and Lieut. J. W. Collins were in town Tuesday, arranging for the company encampment, which will be held here for two weeks, commencing August 6.

Members of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce will have a dinner at this place Friday evening.

A large pile of railroad rails near the Santa Fe station here has started a fire, which is now burning furiously. It appears the rails were brought from Arizona and will be shipped by boat to some point near San Francisco.

George Carlson of Los Angeles is visiting Dr. Delamo. He will soon be at a cottage here for the rest of the season.

A merry picnic party went to Santa Monica and also to Point Vincent on the yacht Keewee Wednesday. Only four of the people suffered from sea sickness.

**MEADINGS.**

P. S. Venable, Means.

Misses: M. L. Miller, Maud Smith.

Little Means.

**MEASURES.**

John Venable, Frank Perry.

W. L. Brown, Edna Brown.

P. S. Venable, Means.

Charles Means.

One belonging to William del Duque, a fisherman, was taken to pieces by some wretch Tuesday night and the fisherman's boat was stove in with an axe. There seems to be no doubt as to the perpetrator of the outrage.

The Attraction Association, at a meeting Wednesday evening, arranged a programme of sports for Sunday. It includes a swimming race at 11 a. m., a boys' shoe race at 1:30 p. m., a fat men's race at 1:45 p. m., and a relay race at 2:15 p. m.

There is also to be a tug-of-war between two teams of four boats each.

## SANTA MONICA.

**Chamber of Commerce Meeting.**

**Vagrant Curia Numerous.**

**SANTA MONICA, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday evening there was a quorum present, which is something unusual. Justice T. H. Wells, acting as a special committee, read a draft of a resolution, which was adopted and amended. This was adopted and steps were taken so that in the near future an election of officers may be called.

Numerous vagrant curia are said to be abroad in town. Two men are reported to have been bitten lately. Miss Mary Chapin and her dog near Fourth street and Oregon avenue on Wednesday evening.

The Jackson Hotel changed hands today, the purchaser being J. S. Johnston, S. Jackson, the former proprietor, will remain in town until September, and will then probably make his home in San Francisco.

Mr. Crawford and family of Bakersfield are at the Webb Cottage on Fifth street.

Grand Master Warboys and Grand Secretary Shaw of the Odd Fellows were in town today and were informally received by a number of members of the order.

The sessions of the Methodist camp meeting have been in progress in Inglewood and attendance.

Mr. George B. Dexter will return this evening from Ventura, where he has been acting at the G. A. R. encampment in an official capacity as a member of the W. R. C.

The city officials are making a special effort to enforce sanitary regulations at closets and cesspools about town, the conditions having been somewhat aggravated on account of the large number of summer visitors.

## MOUNT LOWE.

**ECHO MOUNTAIN, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) William F. Bosbyshell brought up a party of seven from Los Angeles this morning, who went up to Alpine Tavern and will remain until a late run tonight. A stop of about an hour was made at Rubio Cañon, and most of the party went up to cañon to the Lahehah Falls. Returning to the foot of the incline, they went to Alpine Tavern, where most of the day was spent.

The following-named were in the party: W. F. Bosbyshell and wife, Eli Bosbyshell, Miss Frances Baker, W. F. Skeels and wife, Mrs. A. C. Cook, Mrs. P. M. Lee, Miss Nettie Baldwin, Mrs. Z. D. Mathews, Mary Mathews, Mrs. F. Kaiser, Samuel Mundt and wife, Mrs. A. C. Cook, Mrs. Hendricks, J. R. Morrison and wife, E. S. Stilson of Los Angeles; Miss Helen Stilson, A. C. Wilkin and wife, Brockton, N. Y.; E. A. Chapin and wife, Chicago; F. Bacon, Mrs. T. Boeler, J. H. Bennett, Shenandoah, Iowa.

Today is a delightful day on the mountains. A cool breeze is prevailing and the air is clear, so that a most extensive view is presented in all directions.

## SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

## A PLEASURE JAUNT TO SAN MIGUEL.

**Inquest on Cyrus Barnard Ended.**  
**Officer Hopkins Scrubbed—An Official Attorney Scrubs Off the Blood Stains at the Richardson Dwelling.**

**SANTA BARBARA, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) People were perfectly willing that "Nick" Covarrubias should come here and go with the United States surveyors to survey San Miguel Island. They were also perfectly willing that "Nick" should employ as many citizens as he saw fit, at \$ a day, to go with him, but all this talk about "capturing San Miguel Island" is, as Attorney McNulta says, "veriest rot."

Mr. McNulta had occasion to investigate the matter thoroughly years ago, and he says there can be no possible question as to the government's title to this and all the other islands of the channel. But people have an entirely different interest in this surveying party just now. Coroner Ruiz has had Sheriff Hicks take him to San Miguel Island, where he will remain the jury now sitting on the Barnard case, from time to time, until E. B. Pratt comes back from the islands.

Pratt was not feeling well and was unable to embrace an opportunity to go to the island with "Nick" for an outing at \$ a day. No sooner had he sailed than it was announced that Pratt had been killed, and is yet, to some extent, business manager for the Richardsons, and has had important money transactions with them; that his evidence as to the case of the Richardsons, owed Barnard any money would be of vital importance. People will talk, and are asking: "Why did he go away at this inopportune time?"

Major Whitney, who was on the schooner, is coming back at that time to take Mr. Whitney and party to the islands for a fishing and camping trip.

Mr. Tabor and wife of Montecito, old friends of the Richardsons; Mrs. Pratt, mother of E. B. Pratt; Mr. Fry, an eastern acquaintance of the Richardsons, and Mr. Stork, went through the Richardson dwelling yesterday, investigating things and looking for a will, which Stork says was made by Mrs. Richardson, and was drawn by Judge Hall, an attorney of this place, now in San Francisco, on his way home from an eastern trip. While searching for the will they found a box containing jewelry, including two sets of diamond earrings, one diamond ring, two or three gold watches and other jewelry.

At each session of the Barnard jury John Murray, Jr., has been a conspicuous figure, and has been accorded the privilege of cross-questioning all witnesses. He went on hunting pretty frequently with Barnard and was intimate with him. He does not believe Barnard guilty as charged. He has so far refused to give up his position.

The following bulletin:

"Private Ownership the Incentive to murder."

has been over in your mind the murder cases you have read of. Cannot almost all be traced to the desire for wealth? Perhaps the murderer will seem to you a criminal, but he is a criminal, and he, but look a little closer, you will find the conditions which produced his state of mind were greed. Spanish soldiers and Cuban patriots are killing each other, because each one wishes to draw revenues from Cuba and find fat offices for their sons in Havana. Italian peasants are starving because Italy's capitalists wish to steal land in Africa and send a large army to break the native's heads, which resulted in tens of thousands of deaths.

Let us have common ownership, of all the means of production and distribution.

**"JOHN MURRAY, JR."**

(Signed.) At the inquest today the following named witnesses testified: E. H. Thompson, George Rutherford, G. A. Blood, superintendent of the cemetery, Mr. Squier, Charles Johnson, Sheriff Hicks and others.

Thompson saw Barnard Monday going toward the foothills with a shotgun, and testified to seeing bloodstains about Barnard's cabin after he had been killed. McDuffie was recalled and gave further testimony concerning the case.

Blood testified that he was called to the Richardson house Monday morning, and found Mrs. Richardson lying on the hall floor, unconscious, and bleeding and bleeding.

The doctors said they found blood crystals on both pairs of shoes given them to examine. Emerson said there were four drops of blood on the shoes, and that he had seen a shoe as small as Barnard. He had sold him shoes, such as boys wear in the country. They were No. 2 1/2 or 4, and were made in Italy.

Pete Storni said his wife saw Barnard walking toward State street with another man in gray clothes Sunday evening about 9 p. m., by which time Mrs. Yda Adelle Stork said she was at the Richardson house on Monday morning and saw drops of blood on the front porch and four bloody marks on the wire door screen; ten or twelve drops from the front threshold to the head of the stairs, a large pool in the hall, with plain footprints in it; two or three drops on the marble slab of the bureau, and pools of blood in Mrs. Richardson's room; three fingers of a bloody hand two to two and a half inches longer than her fingers, were plainly outlined on the outside of the wire screen of the front door. These could have been made by someone leaning against the screen to listen.

James Tryce spoke to Barnard five weeks ago and examined his cane, which was heavy and similar to the one in evidence.

Charles Johnson had Barnard's pistol in pawn for \$10. Barnard redeemed it July 1. Hicks found Barnard's blankets rolled up with provisions in them.

Storni was recalled and identified Barnard's pistol as the one he had taken from Barnard's side after the shooting. Two shots had been fired from it. He also found Barnard's person seventeen cartridges, and a knife; no money. He put a piece of canvas under Barnard's head. The jury adjourned at noon to meet again at 1:30 p. m., and also to investigate the Richardson house.

This evening the jury brought in a verdict that Cyrus Barnard came to his death by gunshot wound at the hands of Officer Hopkins while resisting arrest, and **exonerating the officer.** Much testimony was deduced and the chain drawn about and linked around the dead body of Cyrus Barnard.

Well-defined rumors of another man being connected with the crime are

being circulated and sensational developments of the most marked nature are expected. Should the rumors be verified, as the case looks, it will implicate another man, and Cyrus Barnard will be put on record as an accomplice. The indignation of every justice-loving citizen was aroused to day when it was learned that C. B. Stork, the attorney for the Richardsons, had proceeded to the house, searched it, and without authority from the Coroner or anyone, removed papers, money and jewelry, and ordered the blood-stains washed up, all of which are important in case another man is implicated.

Mat Kenney identified the cane this evening beyond a shadow of doubt as being Barnard's. He had examined the cane only a short time ago in Johnson's saloon and Barnard explained that he gouged the palm of his hand with the big end, inserted the cross rivet and then ran the lead in the hole. Kenney is positive.

**ANNUAL CONVENTION.**

The annual convention of the Christian Endeavor Union of Santa Barbara County, held at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, for a three-day meeting. An interesting programme was arranged for each session, there being three sessions each day. At this morning's session the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: J. M. Smith of Santa Maria, president; S. T. Toby, vice-president; Mrs. Curtis, secretary, and Mrs. Klitridge, Jr., superintendent. Mrs. Toby invited the Union to hold the next annual convention at Santa Barbara, and the invitation was accepted. The meeting will close tonight with consecration services.

**A SPOUTING WELL.**

A telephone message from one who is interested and has been watching the phenomenal "water supply" summer, yesterday, says that when first opened, it shot up about twenty feet into the air, but has since subsided entirely and the eruptions have ceased. It is not even a flowing well now, but will probably prove a good producer. It is located in the city and close beside it. Williams' other wells, which are only 150 feet deep and all producing abundantly.

**POMONA.**

**POMONA, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) A report is in circulation that has brought out a long and earnest article in one of Pomona's papers, and has caused a great deal of discussion and action on the part of the city trustees. This report is that all arrangements have been made for the drainage of a water syndicate to control all the water in this valley, in case the water bonds held for sale, fact, it is estimated that the present water of opposition to the water-bond measure is, in part, at least, stirred up by the would-be incorporators, who are claiming to desire to control the water supply in this city and in the surrounding territory.

The newspaper article referred to, which is the first of a series in various sections of Southern California this season, the increasing demand for water in this vicinity, and the danger to the city of Pomona, and the surrounding districts, should a large corporation become the possessor of all the water hereabout. It asks why Pomona should be the only city to reap whatever benefit might result from its possession. It suggests that perhaps many who have signed the call for the "Bank for the Pacific" have done so under a misapprehension of the true meaning and intention of the petition, and it calls attention to one or two of the points in the petition, and that they signed under a wrong impression of the purpose of the paper. In short, it hints that too hasty action on the part of the city trustees, and the disastrous results to Pomona's best interests.

Misses Lucy Hornbeck and Beatrice Scott were appointed by the Board of Education to visit the schools formerly held by Misses Nellie F. Ray and Emma E. Thornton. This fills all the places in the Pomona public schools which have been vacated by the departure of the two teachers.

The various applications for the High School places will not be considered until next Tuesday evening. The city trustees have been notified by the Board of Education to the different buildings and grades therein, and the turning of additional rooms, and the time of opening of the school in the fall term, were deferred until some later meeting.

A horse attached to a buggy, and that had stood hitched in the sun until late in the day, was taken by some of the members of the Pomona branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, on Wednesday morning, and put in a local veterinary stable to be cared for as late as Thursday noon, no one had called for the horse, and it is now a question how to protect it.

A variety of raspberry called the perpetual, which, it is said, blossoms and bears from the usual time in the spring until stopped by the frost, is being grown in the city of Pomona, and sent to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.

H. C. Fall, who taught in the Pomona High School, has been elected a teacher of mathematics in the Pasadena High School.

Mrs. Thomas and her daughter, Miss Margaret, are visiting in this city, started for home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Kurtz of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting in this city, and will stay for several months, is a guest of Mrs. Charles Clark of Pomona, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Campbell left this morning for their Puget Sound summer trip.

John L. Overton and his son, Horace, returned this morning to Long Beach.

It is said the building and loan association of this city has realized 11 per cent on its investments this year, against 9 per cent last year.

Miss Mattie A. Reed, who has taught in Pomona for thirteen years or more, and who has been for the past few years assistant principal in the public schools of the city, was elected to a position at three different places, Redlands, Los Angeles and Pasadena. She has accepted the offer of the latter city.

The city president has been awarded to the Pomona Weekly Times again, to insert, at 10 cents per inch for the first insertion, and 7 1/2 cents for each subsequent insertion.

Miss Lucy Hornbeck was reflected to her school position in Puente, but having been also elected to a position in Pomona, her home, she will accept the latter.

**No Biting Here.**

(St. Louis Globe-Democrat.) A look through the Republican papers of California, Oregon and Washington, shows no lack of enthusiasm for McKinley and Hobart. There will be no Republican bolt in the Pacific States, and Democratic managers who count on it are deluding themselves.

**Nobody Else to Blame.**

"The Democracy is an anti-trust party," says a local contemporary. Yes, but it has no one but itself to blame that so few will put any trust in it.

## RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

## A JURY SECURED TO TRY MARRIAGE SHALL FOR MURDER.

**Supervisors May Order the County Hospital Removed at Once.**  
**Plain Talk Regarding a Printer's Bill—Interesting Figures from the Assessor's Rolls.**

**RIVERSIDE, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) The jury for the trial of Charles Marshall for murdering Frank Hamilton was completed Wednesday. The members of the jury are: W. F. Legs, T. E. Parks, Elmer Cutting, Archie Mills, A. L. Layer, A. L. Schopf, F. Ashcraft, E. N. Walte, J. F. Burton, T. E. Noland, John Deane and E. W. Reynolds.

The court has indicated an intention to keep the jury together in the Sheriff's charge until the trial is ended.

**SUPERVISORS IN SESSION.**

The Supervisors are in session, and it is believed that before adjournment they will take steps to secure the removal of the County Hospital to San Jacinto within a week or ten days. It is not probable the removal will take place without some kind of resistance on the part of the people of Riverside, but just what its nature will be is not known. The Supervisors claim that the economy of their administration has resulted in a surplus of \$50,000 which they wish to utilize as a means of reducing the tax rate next year, though there are intimations from the outside that a good portion of this money may be used in purchasing outright the proposed hospital property.

The Supervisors were paralyzed by the presentation of a bill against the county by J. P. Baumgartner of the Reflex for publishing the delinquent tax list, and the amount of the bill being \$1500.00. It is said the same bill was last year cost about \$300. The language used by the Supervisors when the bill was read was more emphatic than when several members of the board not hesitating to denounce it as an outrage on the taxpayers. Intimations were made that the newspaper had combined to fleece the county. The bill was based on the rate of 8 1/2 cents per name for four insertions in the weekly paper. There is prospect of a contest before the bill is paid.

A well ordered sulk on the road between Palm Springs and Indio on the desert.

**COUNTY ASSESSMENTS.**

Assessor Jarvis has tabulated the results of his work for the year, showing assessments of 1895 and 1896 in comparison.

In real estate assessments Elsinore has increased in the year from \$116,638 to \$122,800. San Jacinto has decreased from \$279,067 to \$276,591. Riverside has gone down from \$4,951,784 to \$4,555,500. The balance of the county has increased from \$6,737,320 to \$7,477,665. The assessment for the entire county stands at \$12,433,556, against \$12,134,997 last year.

In improvements Elsinore has increased from \$45,350 to \$45,669. San Jacinto has risen from \$73,365 to \$83,834. Riverside has risen from \$1,781,346 to \$1,813,888. The balance of the county has increased from \$902,293 to \$1,026,212. The assessments for the entire county stand at \$2,978,102, against \$2,801,354 last year.

In personal property Elsinore has increased from \$15,245 to \$15,345. San Jacinto has gone down from \$51,267 to \$47,482. Riverside has sunk from \$441,962 to \$379,682. The balance of the county has risen from \$1,617,549 to \$1,642,640. The assessments for the entire county stand at \$939,531, against \$1,028,232 last year.

The city of Elsinore has reduced the amount of mortgage reductions from \$28,482 to \$19,601. San Jacinto from \$49,944 to \$48,629. Riverside county \$1,999,019 to \$1,476,626. The balance of the county from \$1,462,640 to \$1,354,336. This gives a reduction in the mortgages reported to the assessor of \$240,897 in the entire county.

**ONTARIO.**

**ONTARIO, July 9.**—(Regular Correspondence.) There is a movement toward early closing among local merchants. A grocery firm has set a commendable example by closing at 8 o'clock, and it is thought others will follow suit. At present a number of the stores keep open till 10 o'clock, and even later than this Saturday night. A movement to close all places of business at 7 o'clock is now being agitated.

San Antonio and Stoddard's canons are fast filling up with campers on health and pleasure bent. The inhabitants of Ontario who have to drink the water that comes from these canons do not estimate much over this condition. They claim that some of the campers do not exercise due vigilance to keep the creek water in its pristine purity, instances being quoted where campers have used the creek for laundry and bathing purposes. It is also alleged that the presence of a large number of invalids, including several consumptives, tends to menace the health of the water users below.

A patrolman has been appointed to see that no undue familiarity with the water is allowed, but he cannot be everywhere at once.

Schubert of the local politicians are talking of untiring the several parties and buying a big tent that would hold 1500 people, in which to hold campaign meetings. It is thought it would be occupied nearly every night by one or the other parties during the campaign, especially as each party has vigorous campaign clubs. After the campaign was over it might become the property of the town.

Ontario Lodge, I.O.O.F., will install officers Saturday evening. District Deputy Tebo of China is the installing officer.

There is a rumor that North Ontario contemplates setting up housekeeping on its own hook, and will incorporate as a city of the sixth class. The plan proposed is to take in the territory from one mile below the Santa Fe track to the mountains.

The funeral services of Miss Flora Layman, who died suddenly in San Diego Sunday night, were held yesterday, Rev. William Huestler officiating.

**Declined the Offer.**

(Exchange.) Edward W. Bok, the well-known editor of the American Magazine, has been offered the editorship of the Fall Mail Magazine, William Waldorf Astor's London monthly, at a salary of about \$25,000 a year, with the added inducement of a mansion thrown in for the entertainment of distinguished literary visitors to England. He has declined the offer, lectures having been given with his position on the prosperous Philadelphia publication.

**The Philosophical Hea.**

(Cincinnati Enquirer.) After the serpent had swallowed all the eggs in the nest he came to the conclusion that he might as well take his nap right where he was.

And the hen came back.

"This," she said, cocking her head to one side, "this is what I get for eating all those branched cherries this afternoon."

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